

NORTHERN FRANCE UNDER TERRIFIC ATTACKS

Munitions Cars Explode at Junction City

Shells Shatter Houses, Injure Many Citizens

Two Freight Cars Loaded with Ammunition Blow Up in Street

Pieces of Shrapnel and Live Shells Found over Wide Area

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., June 27 (AP)—A large section of Grand Junction was showered by shrapnel and threatened by fire today after two freight cars of munitions caught fire and exploded at the west end of Main street.

Explosions of shells continued for about four and a half hours. Fire Chief Charles Downing, most seriously injured, was taken to a hospital for amputation of his right arm above the elbow after an exploding shell had shattered the arm.

Others injured included: List of Injured: Bob Walraven, a railroad worker, possible jaw fracture and lacerations.

Mrs. Virginia Buckley, arm injury. Henry Tebo, city fireman, leg injury.

Gordon A. Nicholson, special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said an investigation is under way to determine the cause of the fire and resulting explosion.

Joseph Lowe, grand junction newspaper reporter, said the Denver and Rio Grande western freight train had just pulled into the railroad yards when the fire was discovered by the train crew.

The crew immediately cut the two cars out of the train and isolated them at a point where they believed the least damage would occur, Lowe said.

However, by that time, the fire had spread from a wooden freight car to a steel car, both of which contained munitions.

Many Windows Broken
As the fire spread, the burst of exploding shells awoke startled residents. Windows for blocks around were struck and broken by flying shrapnel.

The all-metal freight car was wrecked like a sieve.

A number of houses far from the burning cars were damaged. One family was on the front porch watching the fire as a shell hurtled through.

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VETERAN OF BATAAN



ONE OF THE LAST to be evacuated from Bataan, Capt. Juanita Redmond of the Army Nurse Corps looks over an official pamphlet that urges graduate nurses to join the armed forces. Captain Redmond is in New York, meeting with a recruiting board.

Army Stages Own Version of How To Handle Bombs

Private Showing of Training of Specialists Given at Aberdeen

By JAMES D. WHITE
ABERDEEN PROVING GROUNDS, Md., June 25 (Delayed)—The army put on a private showing today of the training of specialists in the dramatic and dangerous business of neutralizing the sudden death latent, sometimes by intent, in unexploded bombs.

The actual methods and devices used in taking out and killing a bomb fuse are secret—if the enemy knew how we did it, he would change the fuses and we might have to start all over again—with new men.

Under the army's Ordnance department, the bomb disposal school has been in existence here since February, 1942, and already has trained hundreds of officers and thousands of enlisted men in this ticklish work.

Trains 50,000 Civilians
The school also has trained 50,000 civilian defense bomb reconnaissance agents to locate and report unexploded bombs.

Dangerous? Lt. Col. H. M. Walker, commander of the school, doesn't exactly pooh-pooh the idea, but says: "It's no more dangerous than being in the infantry at the front. Just like the infantry, bomb disposal personnel have a job to do and are doing it."

Col. Thomas J. Kane, director of bomb disposal, explained that the unexploded bomb is one of the most treacherous, dangerous problems extant. He said that about ten percent of German bombs do not go off when they fall.

When a bomb doesn't go off, it (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Miners Prepare To Resume Work In Most Fields

Numerous Locals Vote To End Strike This Morning

PITTSBURGH, June 27 (AP)—A wave of return-to-work sentiment swept the Appalachian coal fields today with many local union units of the United Mine Workers voting to resume operations tomorrow in the partially-idle producing regions.

From West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Tennessee and Kentucky came reports of scores of miners' locals agreeing to produce again fuel vitally needed for the war effort.

At Uniontown, Pa., in the center of the captive mine industry, President William Hynes of District 4, UMW, asserted:

"We have met with many of the eighty-four locals in Fayette county and all of the men will be back in the pits Monday."

Coke for Steel Mills
Full operation of the captive mines would start anew the regular flow of coaling coal to distressed steel mills.

In West Virginia representatives of eighty-five locals representing thousands of miners, met at Logan and Whitesville and voted unanimously to return. Field Representative O. C. Ballard of the UMW reported similar action at other meetings, saying there was no doubt virtually all miners will be back tomorrow.

At Logan, W. Va., a resolution was adopted to return to work and "produce all the coal necessary for the prosecution of the war."

The resolution also termed the administration's attempt to control the high cost of living a "miserable failure." John L. Lewis and other UMW leaders were praised.

Criticize Roosevelt
Union leaders at Logan criticized President Roosevelt, the new anti-strike law and the War Labor Board, but told the rank and file, "we are going to show our good faith."

Referring to the anti-strike law, Vice President William Blizard of District 17, UMW, said: "We don't consider it to be constitutional, but we are patriotic Americans and are going to obey the laws of the land."

He counseled the miners to "act together, be loyal to the union, and go back to work together."

Orum Crum, a scale committee-man, told a meeting at East Williams, Ky., that Puelis Administrator Harold Ickes, who is in charge of the nation's mines under government control, "seems to know what it's all about, and we'll stick with him until we have reason to believe otherwise."

Prompt Resumption Needed
Immediate resumption was essential to relieve slumping steel operations in the great Pittsburgh mill area, which already has lost, through decreased production, more than 20,000 tons of steel ingots needed to (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5)

Nazi Newspaper Scores Franco's Spanish Regime

Frankfurter Zeitung Says He Is Co-operating with the Allies

BERN, Switzerland, June 27 (AP)—The German newspaper Frankfurter Zeitung published an editorial broadside today against Generalissimo Francisco Franco's Spanish government, declaring it was "doing hardly anything decisive" to check talk of a monarchial restoration, and also was tolerating Allied attempts to bring Spain "into active co-operation with the western powers."

Spain is flooded with "the wildest rumors and promises," said the Madrid correspondent of the Nazi newspaper in a telephoned dispatch which was placed on the front page.

The Frankfurter Zeitung's significant reaction to the Spanish situation followed close upon the disclosure that twenty-eight Spanish monarchists had asked Franco to restore the throne to the late King Alfonso's son, Prince Juan.

Rely Upon Allies
The German correspondent declared that Spaniards appear to be relying upon Allied assurances given Spain when North Africa was occupied.

"Attempts are being made to bring them into active co-operation with the western powers," he said.

Some Spaniards, he added, appeared to forget the Civil war in which the Axis aided Franco and his Nationalists, thereby making it easy for the Allies "to fill empty heads with propaganda, false reports, and speculation."

"This propaganda, he asserted, was circulating throughout every class in Spain, and was done 'mostly under diplomatic protection.'"

Receptive to Rumors
The correspondent said religious and monarchial circles especially were receptive to "rumors about supposed arrests of Fascists, generals, and of a future liberal economic order."

Without disputing that a feeling exists that Spaniards are more pro-Ally today than ever before, the Nazi correspondent urged Spaniards to "examine their conscience and change their policies."

Italian Fleet May Be Planning Offensive

NEW YORK, June 27 (AP)—The British radio broadcast a Spanish report today saying "the Italian fleet has left for an unknown destination."

The report, recorded by the Columbia Broadcasting System, quoted the Spanish newspaper Arriba.

"In spite of the mystery which surrounded this departure, the correspondent thinks that the fleet is preparing for offensive operations," the British radio added.

Baby Production Up; Furniture Output Lags

WASHINGTON, June 27 (AP)—A spokesman for the War Production Board had this reply today to a question on a radio program (Blue Network's "This is Official") about reported shortages in juvenile furniture:

"Manufacturers can't increase their production enough to keep up with the increased production of babies!"

Battering Raids on Kiska Indicate American Plan To Occupy Island

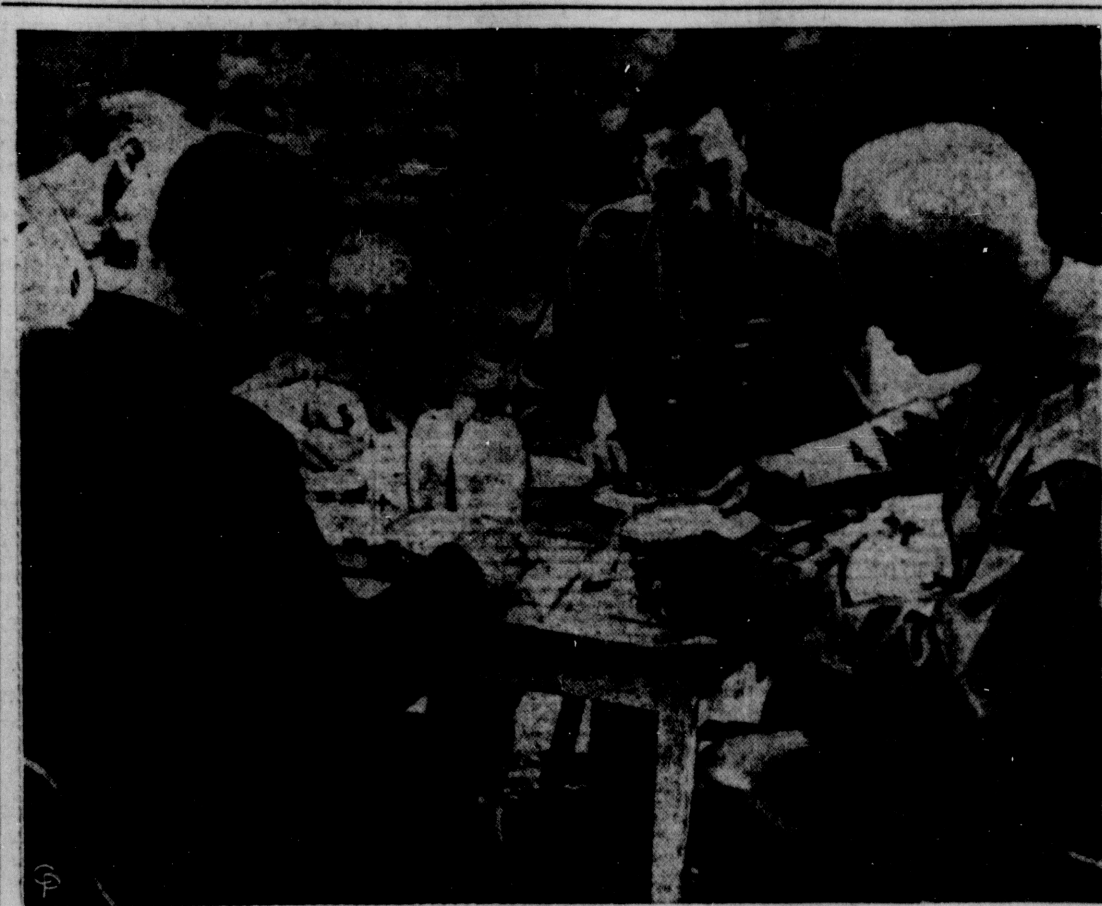
WASHINGTON, June 27 (AP)—Six battering raids on Kiska point strongly today to determination to immobilize the Japanese garrison there from the air, probably in preparation for an invasion by land troops.

Medium bombers—army Mitchell's and navy Ventura's—taking advantage of a break in the weather which had slowed operations in the Aleutians for several days, roared over the island in the half dozen assaults Friday afternoon.

With them sped lightning fighter planes ready to beat off any attempted interception as the bombers dropped their loads. But the aerial resistance did not develop.

Bombs blasted into the Japanese camp area on the island—last enemy foothold in the American island chain. Other bombs struck among gun positions and probably put some Japanese anti-aircraft (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5)

KING SAMPLES ARMY MESS WITH U. S. GENERALS



ON A TOUR of American Army camps in North Africa, King George of England samples United States food at an informal lunch eaten from mess kits. On the monarch's right is Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark, while to his left sits Maj. Gen. George Patton, U. S. A. Sir James Briggs has his back to camera.

U. S. Will Back Eisenhower in French Turmoil

General Will Be Supported as Supreme Commander in North Africa

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
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WASHINGTON, June 27 (AP)—With trans-Mediterranean military operations on a major scale closely impending, the Washington government was revealed tonight as ready to back up General Eisenhower, Allied supreme commander in French Africa, to the limit in whatever steps he may find necessary to eliminate any threat to success created by the political controversy between Generals Charles De Gaulle and Henri Giraud, heading rival French factions.

The writer can say this on the basis of unimpeachable authorities who cannot be quoted directly. In presenting a summary of the government's policy toward the French political controversy in North Africa, these authorities were further able to state that the Washington government expects General Eisenhower to tolerate in North Africa no De Gaulle or other French activities which would in any way:

1. Delay execution of projected Allied aggressive military operations in that theater.

2. Jeopardize Anglo-American—and French—vital supply lines in North and West Africa.

3. Undermine the morale of officers and men of the French forces commanded by General Giraud under General Eisenhower, or militate against their effective participation in the projected trans-Mediterranean operations.

To this end, although both General Eisenhower and Washington (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

PORT OF MESSINA BOMBED BY BRITISH AND AMERICANS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, June 27 (P)—For the third time within thirty-six hours Allied bombers swept across the Mediterranean from Africa Friday night to heap explosives on the battered port of Messina, military lifeline of the besieged island of Sicily.

British heavy bombers of the Middle East air forces (probably American-built four-engine Liberators), sustained the mighty aerial assault on the Italian city, drawn to their target by fires left raging only a few hours previously by an armada of more than 100 American Flying Fortresses from the North African command making the heaviest attack of the Mediterranean war.

RAF Wellington bombers opened the offensive against Messina on Thursday night.

Starts New Fires
The latest blow at the vital railroad ferry terminal, through which the bulk of military supplies from the Italian mainland must pass, was reported by a Cairo communiqué to have started new fires near oil tanks and in the vicinity of Messina's main railway station. Not a bomber was lost from the foray.

American fliers who participated in Friday's daylight foray said the entire city "seemed to erupt" under a downpour of bombs and expressed opinion that Messina's usefulness to the Axis was about ended.

Predict Great Attack
The intensified bombing attack was accompanied by broad hints from German and Italian sources that Allied forces in the Mediterranean were massing for a great blow at Italy.

Today's Italian communiqué, broadcast by the Rome radio, declared that Axis torpedo planes attacked an Allied convoy in the straits between Sicily and Tunisia yesterday, torpedoing one vessel and sending an oil ship up in flames and damaging ten transports.

The German high command, apparently referring to the same engagement, said the Allied convoy was attacked persistently through Saturday and Sunday night by German and Italian bombers, which left a tanker on fire and eleven transports "heavily hit."

Landing Boats in Convoy
A German radio commentator declared that landing boats were included in the Allied convoy and said an escorting warship received a direct hit from a heavy bomb and that its anti-aircraft batteries were silenced.

There was no confirmation of such an engagement here, today's headquarters bulletin reporting only that two Axis aircraft were destroyed during patrol activities yesterday over the Mediterranean area.

Leading Italian newspapers were reported from neutral Stockholm to be warning their readers that invasion is imminent. The editor of Il Messaggero was said to have written that aerial attacks on Sicily and Sardinia were in the "transitional stage" before invasion and (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Crime Increase Among Women Is Traced to War

James M. Hepbrun Finds They 'Steal Sooner Than Men'

BALTIMORE, June 27 (AP)—Women are not only taking the place of many men in industry and business, James M. Hepbrun, chairman of the Baltimore Criminal Justice Commission, said today, but they also are rapidly replacing them on criminal records.

Commenting on the results of a survey, Hepbrun said, "We believe that the rise in women criminals is a direct result of the wide-spread admittance of women into business and industry."

"As they come out of the home into positions, their opportunities for crime are greater and women become willing to take greater chances in getting what they want."

Yield to Temptation
"They never had an opportunity to commit crimes, such as larceny or embezzlement, before they left their homes," he added, "and for the first time they are becoming aware of the temptation to steal."

The only difference is, Hepbrun said, that women steal sooner than men and take a little less money.

"Why? no one knows. I wouldn't even hazard a guess," Mr. Hepbrun commented. "I do know, however, (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Allies Continue To Bomb Germans On Large Scale

Mightiest Non-Stop Air Offensive Goes into Second Week

Many German Planes Destroyed and Other Damage Is Heavy

By ERNEST AGNEW
LONDON, June 27 (AP)—British bomber fleets roared over Hitler's European fortress for the eighth consecutive night last night to batter targets in west and northwest Germany, carrying the mightiest non-stop aerial offensive of the war into its second week, it was announced today.

Mosquito bombers and RAF fighters pounded and strafed enemy air fields, radio stations and communications lines in France at the same time and rounded out the night's work by shooting down two German fighters near Paris.

Other planes continued the assaults by daylight today with large scale sweeps over Northern France shortly after dawn. These raiders destroyed three enemy planes.

Bag Three Nazi Planes
The prey of two Messerschmitt-109S and a Focke Wulf-190 were shot from a group of thirty-six counted by Spitfire pilots over St. Omer. Wing Commander J. E. Johnson bagged his nineteenth plane in the sweep. No British planes were lost.

Coastal command Beaufighters, escorted by Spitfires, attacked southbound Nazi shipping off the Dutch coast during the afternoon and the air ministry said they probably damaged three escort vessels and a supply ship.

An observer in one of the Beaufighters said heavy flak made accurate observation difficult but as the attackers turned away dense smoke was pouring from two of the armed escorts.

Another pilot said he opened up on two merchant ships with his cannons and then attacked both of them again with his machine guns from a height of 100 feet.

British Plane Lost
The escorting Spitfire pilots reported they hit every enemy fighter seen near the convoy, downing two of them and damaging several others badly. One of the British planes failed to return.

The Nazi-controlled Vichy radio said in a night broadcast recorded by the Associated Press that "no (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

San Francisco Has Long Alert

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27 (AP)—The "approach of unidentified targets" caused a sixty-one-minute alert in the San Francisco bay region today, the army air defense wing announced.

The army statement given out after the all clear omitted the usual phrase about the targets being "later identified as friendly." There was no explanation of the omission. The announcement:

"The San Francisco air defense wing today ordered two stages of alert and a radio silence at the approach of unidentified targets in the bay region. The yellow alert was ordered at 12:29 p. m. (PST), the blue alert at 12:37 p. m. and a radio silence at 12:42 p. m. The all clear was given at 1:30 p. m."

Body of Sidat Singh, Famous Flier And Aviator, Found in Lake Huron

SELFRIDGE FIELD, Mich., June 27 (AP)—The body of Second Lieut. Wilmet W. Sidat Singh, army flier and former Syracuse University athlete star whose plane plunged into Lake Huron May 9, was found in the lake today.

Discovery of the body and its later identification as that of the 25-year-old former football and basketball star at Syracuse was announced at the army air base here tonight. Sidat Singh was a member of the thirty-third fighter group, an all-Negro unit.

A coast guard patrol sighted the body off-shore seven miles north of East Tawas at 3 p. m. today, officers here said, and it was brought to the Oscoda army air field, a sub-base of Selfridge, where identification was made.

The plane had crashed into the lake two miles out from East Tawas. Sidat Singh, officers said, parachuted from the ship, a single (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Dies at Annapolis

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 27 (AP)—Dr. James J. Murphy, 68, city health officer and a former Anne Arundel county health officer, died at his home here late last night.

Hitler Believed Forced To Slash U-Boat Program

Mediterranean Troubles Seen as Changing His Plans

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR.
Associated Press Staff Writer

The next few weeks may show that a "Hitler's choice"—albeit a hard one for him—was largely responsible for the present lull in the battle of the Atlantic.

There is no question that new escort systems and long-range air patrol have sent U-boat killings up, but it is doubtful that they are more than partly responsible for unimproved convoys.

To Hitler, the battle of the Mediterranean is far more urgent. It seems almost axiomatic that, during the weeks when Atlantic conditions have been so much improved, the enemy has been deploying his U-boats for two purposes—reconnaissance and actual defense of his Mediterranean coastline.

Hitler Expects Attack

He knows he is going to be struck, and that the 250,000 square miles of water between the Balearics, Africa, Sicily-Sardinia and Marseilles—possibly but not necessarily coupled with the English channel—probably will decide that 1,000-year fate of Germany of which he once spoke so confidently.

Hitler knows that the Rhone valley offers a far better road to Berlin than does the Italian mainland, and that the Allies may ignore his weakened and disillusioned Axis partner in favor of coming to grips with him directly.

Hitler May Lack Time

In spite of all the talk, there is not a great deal he can do about it on land, over and above what he has done. Coastal fortification takes time—time which he cannot be sure will be available. And an overwhelming proportion of the German troops available for the defense of Western Europe must be tied to the English channel—tied by a quarter-million Canadians made utterly bloodthirsty by long training under wraps, plus formidable British and American ground armies supported by air forces which probably run into the millions.

German air forces are so engaged in Russia and Northwestern Europe that Allied air forces over the Mediterranean recently have been met by scattered defense squadrons made up of mixed German and Italian planes of various types—a sure sign of squadrons thrown together from the very dregs of Axis reserves in the area.

May Hold Air Reserve

That Hitler is holding an air force in reserve to meet invaders is a foregone conclusion, but the submarine appears by all odds to be his first line of defense.

Marseilles, Toulon and the Italian bases must be full of them, and they are cruising in and out past Gibraltar constantly.

That they are not being heard from in ship sinking is due to the fact that, in such a period, reconnaissance without revealing position is more important.

When the story of our own submarine reconnaissance is told after this war it will be just as enthralling as anything dreamed by Jules Verne. There is no reason to doubt that the developers of the U-boat as both a strategic and tactical weapon are making the most of it.

On this basis, the battle of the Atlantic would seem to be only in a lull and, despite improved defensive measures, really to be won only with the winning of the battle of the Ruhr, of Wilhelmshaven and of Brest.

Polish Army Reported "Spoiling for Action"

LONDON, June 27. (AP)—Polish Premier Wladyslaw Sikorski asserted in a broadcast from Beirut heard here tonight that the Polish army in the Middle East is "spoiling for action."

Completing an inspection tour of the Polish army in the Levant states, Sikorski said:

"They are fired with a desire to measure themselves with the ancient enemy of Poland."

The resolute Polish soldier is well aware that the path to his country leads through fighting and that he will have to open it for himself with his blood. He yearns to start this struggle as soon as possible."

The British ministry of information heard the broadcast.

\$50,000 Fire Sweeps Hollywood Night Club

HOLLYWOOD, June 27. (AP)—Ciro's, popular film colony night club on Sunset boulevard, was badly damaged by fire early today after patrons had left.

Capt. Harold Davis of the fire department said the blaze may have been started by a cigarette dropped in an upholstered seat. He estimated the loss at \$50,000.

Kiwanis Members To Pick Cherries

CHARLES TOWN, W. Va., June 27. (AP)—Kiwanis club members will get a taste of cherry picking next Thursday evening, with all the fruit they pick going to the Charles Town General hospital.

John Y. McDonald, club president, invited the members to pick the cherries from his orchard for the hospital. Picking will commence at 8:30 p. m. and continue until dark.

HE SURRENDERED



WAITING to be taken to a prison camp is Italian Admiral Pavesi after he surrendered the island of Pantelleria in the Mediterranean to the British. This is one of the first original photos taken on the island to reach U. S.

Army Ordnance Depot Holds Big Threat to Axis

Huge Warehouses and "Igloos" Will Help Defeat Hitler

By LARRY H. ROBINSON

TOOELE, Utah, June 27. (AP)—Trouble is stored up for the Axis in Tooele's sprawling 26,736-acre army ordnance depot.

Evidence of the scope of global war is reflected in the rows of giant maintenance buildings, huge warehouses and miles after mile of quiet ammunition storage "igloos" spread over an arid desert wasteland in Tooele valley, forty miles from Salt Lake City. Army officers say it is one of the largest ordnance depots in the nation.

Visiting newsmen, touring under the guidance of the Ninth service command, were told that more than 4,000 civilians will be employed when the depot is fully staffed. Seventy-seven miles of railroad and 150 miles of hard-surfaced roads are in operation within the depot's boundaries.

Probably least known to the non-military are the salvage operations carried on at this depot and similar ordnance bases throughout the nation.

First Lt. Clarkson W. Main, officer in charge of salvage, estimated that about ninety per cent of materials used at army training camps is salvaged for further use or for reprocessing for use in another new article.

Even from combat areas overseas a fair percentage of used material is returned. Although cost is a factor, the principal reason for salvage, according to Lieutenant Main, is to save time. It's quicker to reclaim an item than to manufacture it from scratch, particularly in view of metal shortages.

Ammunition Protected

Segregated from the depot buildings and carefully guarded is the eight square mile area for ammunition storage, consisting of approximately 1,000 mound-like "igloos."

Their structure reminds one of ordinary potato cellars except they are of heavy concrete construction, reinforced with steel. These innocent-looking huts, however, pack an awful punch. Some of them contain as many as 240 giant 1,000-pound "blockbuster" bombs.

Col. Henry E. Minton, commanding officer, explained that the symmetrical layout of the igloos was designed to prevent an explosion in any one of them from setting off another.

This also would be true in event of any enemy aerial assault—a direct hit would be necessary on each of the igloos, he said.

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authorities are standing strictly aloof from French factional political wrangling precipitated by De Gaulle and his adherents, full British co-operation is assured, whatever the effect on De Gaulle's status or ambitions. That must be plain today, by one informant whose knowledge of the situation in French Africa and all of its complex ramifications cannot be questioned. While he cannot be quoted by name, this informant said:

"Regardless of British hopes for, or dissatisfaction with, De Gaulle, the Allied commander in Africa must see that his (De Gaulle's) activities, or the activities of the dual headed and divided (French) military command, do not hazard the lives of American soldiers in Africa, or adversely effect our military operations against the common enemy."

"It is believed that General Eisenhower, who as supreme commander must have complete control in the area of operations, will take such action as is necessary to safeguard our soldiers, protect our lines of communication in Africa, and advance the allied operations against the enemy."

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA and WEST VIRGINIA Forecasts: Continued unseasonably warm with afternoon and evening thunder showers.

Nazi Socialist Leader Dies in Occupied France

Fritz Schmidt Meets with "Fatal Accident", German Radio Says

LONDON, June 27. (AP)—The Berlin radio said tonight that Fritz Schmidt, regional chief of the National Socialist party in the strife-ridden Netherlands and commissar-general of the rebellious occupied Dutch territories, had "met with a fatal accident" while on an official tour through France.

The broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said Adolf Hitler had ordered a party funeral for Schmidt, the fifth Nazi official—German or Dutch—in Holland to be killed in less than six months.

Details Lacking

In spite of Schmidt's high position, details of his career were not known to observers here.

The last previous fatality was Dr. Folkert E. Posthumus, a Dutch Nazi and secretary for agriculture in the German-controlled Dutch cabinet, who was shot to death early this month.

Opposition to German authorities in Holland has resulted in widespread strikes and sabotage since German occupation officials ordered all former members of the Dutch army to register last April for removal to Germany to work in Nazi war plants.

Similarly in France, where Schmidt met his "fatal accident," resistance to Nazi authority has been on a sharp increase recently. Only yesterday the British radio said German Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels had cancelled an important visit to Alsace because of reports that there was a plot to assassinate him. Robert Wagner, German governor of annexed Alsace, also was reported to have been intended as a victim in the same plot.

(BBC, quoting a Vichy broadcast, said Sunday that special tribunals "are to be set up in France to deal with patriot resistance." The British broadcast, recorded in New York by CBS, said "this announcement followed reports of fresh patriot activity.")

Judge Chesnut, 70, Will Not Retire

BALTIMORE, June 27. (AP)—Judge W. Calvin Chesnut, of the United States district court, celebrated his seventieth birthday today.

Asserting he was not thinking of retiring, Judge Chesnut declined "this is no time for anybody to retire with all the work to be done in these war times."

He is a member of a committee of federal judges appointed to re-study the laws and procedure of United States commissioners. After returning to his home here today following a week's conference at Estes Park, Colo., on the survey, he remarked that it was the first time since 1896 that the laws governing the functions of federal commissioners had been surveyed.

Born in Baltimore June 27, 1873, he was graduated from Johns Hopkins university in 1892.

He was assistant state's attorney from 1896 to 1899, and was appointed federal judge in 1931 by President Hoover.

Forest Fire Raging In St. Mary's County

LEONARDTOWN, Md., June 27. (AP)—A forest fire was reported raging today near Jarboesville, St. Mary's county, about three miles from the scene of a fire which in April caused damages estimated at \$600,000.

The blaze apparently started about 1 a. m. today, it was reported, and all available man power was called out by fire-fighting officials to combat it.

State forestry department officials in Baltimore said they had been informed the fire was confined to about half an acre of woodland and apparently was well in hand.

The Leonardtown fire department was helping fight the blaze, the officials said.

Sergeant Joe Louis On the Way East

CHICAGO, June 27. (AP)—Sergeant Joe Louis was in Chicago today enroute east on a special government mission.

He visited his wife, Marva, and his four-month-old daughter, Jacqueline, then carded a seventy-seven over a golf course.

The heavyweight boxing champion said his next stop would be Detroit where he will visit his mother. He is to report in Pittsburgh, Pa., July 3, where he said he will get instructions on his duties during his present trip.

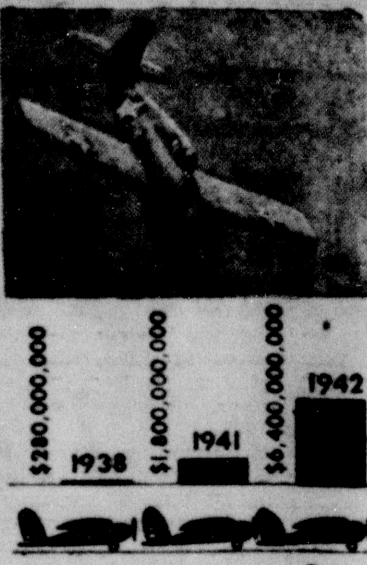
Killed by Train

BALTIMORE, June 27. (AP)—Charles M. Allen, 19, stepped from a work train on the Pennsylvania railroad at Middle River last night directly into the path of a south-bound flyer and was killed instantly.

Weather in Nearby States

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA and WEST VIRGINIA Forecasts: Continued unseasonably warm with afternoon and evening thunder showers.

PLANES DWARF AUTO RECORD



The war has given birth to a new industrial force in America, a force that has put even the great prewar automobile industry to shame for dollar volume of business and rapid growth. This new phenomenon is the aircraft industry, which in 1944 will produce planes to the value of \$5,150,000,000, an astronomical figure when compared with its own dollar volume for the year 1938, a mere \$280,000,000. Automobile production, which so profoundly influenced every part of America and all its institutions, technology, marketing practices and cultural patterns, reached its all-time high in 1941 with a dollar volume of \$3,700,000,000. The aircraft industry now employs about 2,500,000 trained workers turning out transport and combat planes in plants that can be converted to the production of civil aircraft after the war. And with an air-minded population, built around the nucleus of the 3,000,000 men comprising the air forces by the end of 1943, the nation can look forward to the real beginning of the air age. (International)

Gunner Brings Flying Fort Back With Aid of Badly Wounded Pilot

By LEO BRANHAM

A UNITED STATES BOMBER STATION IN ENGLAND, June 27. (AP)—Gunner Sgt. Clifford T. Erickson of Fond Du Lac, Wis., brought the crippled Fortress Dan back from the crew's first raid over Nazi Europe, June 11 after the pilot and co-pilot had been wounded seriously, it was disclosed today.

The 22-year-old sergeant probably could not have done it had not the pilot, First Lieut. William J. Jones, 25, of North Middletown, Ky., struggled with pain and the unconsciousness which always threatened to envelop him to remain at his post and instruct Erickson in handling the unfamiliar controls.

With his jaw shattered and a jagged six-inch wound spurting blood from his right shoulder, Jones told the sergeant how to bring the ship to its home field.

Both Men Honored

Jones has been recommended for the distinguished service medal and Erickson for the distinguished flying cross.

Dangerous Dan had ploughed through swarms of German fighters to drop bombs on Wilhelmshaven, where it was hit by enemy fire which knocked out one engine, destroyed the main hydraulic system and rattled the wings.

As Jones turned over the target, a twenty-mm cannon shell exploded in the pilot's compartment wounding the pilot and knocking out the co-pilot, Second Lieut. W. Bersinger, 22, of Los Angeles. Bersinger suffered a fracture of his left arm and shell fragments cut his left shoulder and back.

Temporarily Blinded

Both were temporarily blinded by glass from the shattered windshield and oil spewing from the damaged engine.

The stricken bomber was knocked out of formation and dropped 700 feet below the "V" before Jones rallied, righted the plane and nosed her into another formation below.

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Allies Continue

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merous squadrons of Anglo-American planes have been over France today" and declared the Allies used all types of planes from single-seater fighters to four-engine bombers.

Meanwhile, it was a comparatively quiet day over Britain, although an unidentified plane prompted a brief daylight alert in the London area. One enemy plane was destroyed off the southeast coast in the forenoon to go with the day's bag of five enemy fighters in offensive operations.

Mine Enemy Waters

The air ministry said the night-flying planes also laid mines in enemy waters. This same phrase was used in the initial description of the action which breached the great Moehne and Kder dams May 16, but it generally refers to the dropping of floating explosives in ship channels and harbors.

The communiqué did not specify any of the targets attacked but said the entire night's operations were carried out with the loss of only one bomber.

The German radio reported that "a few enemy planes carried out harassing flights over Western and Northwestern Reich territory last night," but declared that "no bombs were dropped."

Usual Nazi Report

Another Berlin broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said American bombers attempted to attack Bremen in daylight yesterday but were beaten off and twenty-five of them shot down. It declared that most of the bombs fell in the North Sea.

London communiqués mentioned no such attack, but said a large force of United States heavy bombers and supporting Thunderbolts attacked air fields and industrial targets in France. Five bombers and seven fighters failed to return.

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Administration

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tinued payments to encourage production of vitally needed crops, for transportation and for mineral production. An amendment, primarily banning food price-reducing payments, also would bar other subsidies, unless specifically approved by Congress.

Would Transfer Powers

The Senate also attached an amendment by Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) transferring subsidy powers to the War Food Administration, which O'Mahoney said indirectly authorizes subsidies to farmers if they are voted subsequently by Congress.

O'Mahoney, who had previously told reporters he was convinced that with the Aiken amendment the bill was "headed for a veto," said developments during the day indicated some compromise might be worked out.

"I think it is possible for an agreement to be reached or the payment of subsidies to the farmers in a way that will keep the housewives' cost of living down and still guarantee the producer what he needs," he declared.

Plans To Halt Rollbacks

The amendment, offered by Senator Aiken (R-Vt.) would stop the present subsidy programs to roll back retail prices of meat, butter and coffee immediately on enactment of the measure into law. Subsidies for the sole purpose of encouraging production of certain crops and minerals, to finance higher wartime transportation costs, and some other payments could be continued.

The Aiken amendment was similar in effect to proposal written into the CCC bill by the House before its passage by that body. Thus both houses are on record for a flat prohibition of price rollback subsidies.

Should the anti-subsidy language be finally written into law, the most immediate effect, presumably would be increases of about 10 per cent in housewives' outlays for meat and butter. On the average those prices have been cut back about 3 cents a pound on meat and 5 cents on butter.

Battering Raid

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reported, another group of Liberators roared out to batter Poporang island, about a mile southeast of Shortland island. That Japanese position last was attacked on April 21 when many fires were started by American bombs. Two fires set there were visible 40 miles away, the navy reported.

Dauntless dive bombers and avenger torpedo planes with wildcat fighter escort carried the aerial attack again to Munda on New Georgia island. A similar group at the same time bombed Vila, an enemy base on Kolombangara island, also target of consistent bombing missions.

Miners Prepare

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make implements of war. Fourteen blast furnaces were down in Pennsylvania and two in Alabama.

Ray Edmundson, Illinois state president of UMW, said all miners would return Monday, "if there are no more overt acts by government bureaucrats."

Unofficial estimates from the coal producing states indicated that something slightly over 200,000 men were still not working at the close of the week.

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Leaders Plan

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House Republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts, McNary said.

While there is a general hope on the part of leaders of both parties to get Congress into recess by next Saturday, they are not at all certain that can be done. Speaker Rayburn said he thought it more likely that the recess would begin sometime after July 10.

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Cumberland Is Hottest Place In Maryland

Washington County Reported a Heavy Rain and Frederick had Showers which Brought some Relief from the Heat but the most part of the state was still in the grip of the heat wave. The maximum temperature in Baltimore yesterday was 96.

Hit and Run Driver Breaks Fire Hydrant

Police had not found at midnight the driver of the car which struck and knocked over the fire hydrant at the intersection of Lee and Greene streets last evening at 11:20 o'clock.

The spouting water soon

Miss Lillie Dress Becomes Bride Of Ray T. Fike

Ceremony Is Performed in St. Michael's Catholic Church Rectory

FROSTBURG, June 27 — Miss Lillie Catherine Dress, daughter of Mrs. Dossa and the late Henry Dress, Pinzel, and Ray T. Fike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto S. Fike, Avila, were married Saturday morning at the rectory of St. Michael's Catholic church, by the Rev. Francis E. Montgomery, assistant pastor.

They were attended by Miss Evelyn Dress, sister of the bride, and William Harden, this city.

The bride wore a street length gown of light blue crepe and a shoulder corsage of red rosebuds. Her sister was attired in yellow crepe and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the bride's home.

The bridegroom is engaged at farming in Garrett county, and his bride is employed at the Celanese plant, Cumberland.

Mrs. Beal Dies

Mrs. Mollie (Miller) Beal, 71, wife of Lawrence Beal, Eckhart, died Saturday morning at her home after being ill for the past two months. She was a lifelong resident of Eckhart and a member of the Methodist church.

Besides her husband, she leaves ten children; Mrs. Alexander Mont, Potomac Park; Mrs. Bruce Phillips, Elkins, W. Va.; Mrs. Prue Sullivan, Mt. Savage; Mrs. Gerald Spangler, Ridgeley, W. Va.; Marshall Beal, Eckhart; Mrs. Fredrick Laber, Baltimore; Mrs. George Reidler, Mrs. Melvin Libengood, Mrs. Thomas Grace and Arthur Beal, Frostburg.

She had two brothers, John Miller, Jennings; Wesley Miller, Frostburg; two half-sisters, Mrs. Gilbert Green, Grantsville, and Laura Miller, Jennings, and one half-brother, Frank Miller, Frostburg.

Will Present Program

The Youth Fellowship of the First Methodist church is presenting a variety program, Wednesday evening, June 30, at 8 p. m. in the Sunday school room. A silver offering will be received, the funds are to be used to help send delegates to the Young People's Institute.

The program will consist of the following numbers:

"Midsummer" sung by Oliver McMorran, accompanied by Miss Betty Hartwick; two cornet solos, "Triumph Polka" and "Gaiety Polka" by Overton Himmelwright; a reading by Douglas Thomas; a vocal duet by Jerry Powers and Mary Lou Grose; and a one act play "While the Toast Burned."

Those taking part in the play are: Herbert Canby, Jr. — Jonathan Jenkins; Mrs. Canby — Mary Jane Price; Grandmother — Virginia Wott; Mary Lou — Joan Taylor; and Bert — Nick Harris.

The committees are as follows: Sam Ritchie, chairman of the programs with Jane Gattens, and Anna Engle helping. Publicity, Charlotte Llewellyn, chairman, Joan Taylor, Vernon Dawson and Anna Evans. Make-up, Elizabeth Sanged, chairman, and Della McMorran. Properties, Betty Engle, chairman, Dane Harvey, and Nat Workman. Speech director — Mary Jane Price and Music director — Virginia Wott.

Attends Service

The Phi Omicron Delta sorority of State Teachers college attended the morning service in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Sunday. Miss Margaret Jones, a teacher at the college, elementary school, was the guest soloist.

Five new pledges were admitted into membership of the sorority, Thursday night. They are Peggy Couchman, Hagerstown; Jerry Glenn, Friendsville; Helen Goldfeld, Grantsville; Isabel Devine, Westernport and Neva Webb, Cumberland.

Frostburg Personals

Mrs. Jesse Fuller left last week to visit her son, Pvt. William Fuller, Camp Edwards, Mass.

The Rev. Thomas Conner, C. S. Sp., Norwalk, Conn., who was recently ordained, came here last week to visit Mrs. John Blake Bowers street. He was accompanied by his father, Horace Conner, Sharpsburg, Pa.

Harold W. Connor, 135 Center street, is a surgical patient in Miners' hospital.

Mrs. Leota M. Davis, East Loo street, is home from Miners' hospital.

Mrs. Walter A. Grahame has returned to Philadelphia, after visiting her sister, Mrs. George W. Davis and brother, James O. Miller.

Mrs. Laveta Krepp, Route 2, Frostburg, is a surgical patient at Miners' hospital.

William Saurbaugh, of Pittsburgh, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Gilbert Pfaff, Welsh Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cookley, Eleanor apartments, left Saturday evening for Cuyahoga Falls, O., to attend the marriage of Mrs. Cookley's brother, John Tighe, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Tighe and Miss Thelma Jane Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Smith. The wedding will take place Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., at the Cuyahoga Falls Methodist church.

CIRCUS CHORUS GALS



THESE TWO SHAPELY SPANGLETES steal the show from the trained elephants, tigers, seals and traditional clowns at the Ringling Brothers Circus in New York's Madison Square Garden. Of course that's only so far as the grown-up boys are concerned.

District Legion Man Is Held in Piedmont, W. Va.

WESTERNPORT, June 27.—The Kelly Mansfield Post No. 52, the American Legion, was host to the convention of District 10 which was held in Piedmont this afternoon. Guest speakers included Capt. W. E. Elliott Nefflen, Washington, D. C., national executive committee member of the Department of West Virginia and R. C. Hall, Elkins, past department commander and now deputy service officer of the West Virginia staff. R. C. Buig, Piedmont, department vice commander, also spoke.

The speakers were introduced by Charles E. Dayton, commander of Kelly-Mansfield post, Edgar B. Rioridan, Martinsburg, W. Va., commander of District 10, presided.

Delegates were present from Martinsburg, Franklin, Keyser, Berkeley Springs, Petersburg, Romney, Moorefield and Piedmont.

Following the business session luncheon was served by the members of the Kelly-Mansfield auxiliary.

Airman Is Killed

Lieut. Carroll Harris, Jr., 20, of the United States Army Air Forces, died as a result of injuries received during a raid on Kiel, Germany, June 13.

Lieut. Harris was a grandson of Mrs. William Harris and the late Rev. Mr. Harris, Washington, D. C. The Rev. Mr. Harris was a former pastor of Trinity Methodist church in Piedmont.

Will Open Classes

Swimming classes will be opened at the Piedmont swimming pool July 12, and continue from 10:30 to 12 each morning for five days a week, and will continue for three weeks.

Attends Service

Hiram Lodge No. 103, A. F. and A. M. Westernport, attended service this morning at the First Baptist church, Westernport. It is the custom of Hiram Lodge to attend services in a body each year on the Sunday nearest St. John's day.

School Closes

The closing exercises of the Church of the Brethren's Daily Vacation Bible school was held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The devotion and entire program were conducted by the children.

Thirty-three pupils were awarded certificates for special merit and four awards were given for extra achievement. Handiwork was demonstrated and there was a program of music memory work and recitations. There was a daily enrollment of fifty.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Ryan, Luke, have received word that their son Joseph has been assigned to Camp Van Dorn, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson, Westernport, announce the birth of a daughter, June 24.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Nash, Campbell Straight, June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Piper, Hampshire, W. Va., announce the birth of a daughter, June 25.

Capt. and Mrs. Donald Mellor and Mrs. Charles Bell, Waynesboro, Pa., spent the weekend with home folks.

Pfc. John Bartlett, Fort Dick, N. J., is spending a furlough at home with his wife and parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bartlett, Westernport.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boyles, Mrs. George Dixon, Piedmont and Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bruce, Westernport, left today to attend the convention of the United Spanish War Veterans to be held in Clarksburg, W. Va., June 27, 28 and 29.

Ensign Edward F. Straw, Fort Schuyler, N. Y., who has recently

Capt. Englehart Dies of Injuries At Camp Benning

Meyersdale Man Was Instructing Class in Using Machine Gun

MEYERSDALE, Pa., June 27.—Capt. Theodore Englehart, 26, and instructor in the officers' training corps, Camp Benning, Ga., while instructing a class in the use of the machine gun, was fatally injured Friday afternoon and died yesterday morning at 4:51 in the camp hospital.

A son of Mrs. Josephine and the late A. C. Englehart, who died two years ago, Capt. Englehart was a native of Meyersdale and a graduate of the local high school, and also attended several higher institutions of learning.

Surviving are his mother, three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Huzzey, the Misses Elouise and Lois Englehart, and a brother, Billy Englehart, all of whom are at home with their mother at 315 High street.

Capt. Englehart was a member of Zion Evangelical Lutheran church, and was affiliated with the church council; a member of the local Junior Association of Commerce, and at the last municipal election he was elected a member of the borough council, a post he resigned shortly following his election.

Hospital Notes

Surgical operations in Wenzel hospital the past several days were:

Mrs. Betty Wackerle, Garrett, hernia; Norman Jean Rickard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rickard, appendicitis; May Cook, hernia; Mrs. Cora Harmon and Ruth Harmon, Accident, tonsils and adenoids; Eleanor Noon, daughter of Harry Noon, Wall, Pa., appendicitis.

Mrs. C. R. Fichtner, Elgon, W. Va., was admitted yesterday for medical treatment. Mrs. Russell Schmidt and infant daughter, Somerfield, were discharged yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Opel, Accident, announce the birth of a son in the hospital June 16.

Surgical patients in Hazel McGilvray hospital are: Helen Fike and Mrs. Hugh Morrison, Meyersdale; Catherine and Ivan Miller, Rachel Miller, Grantsville; Marcella Broadwater, Glencoe; Alice Binger and Betty Lou Deeter, Berlin.

Medical patients are: Mrs. William Riley, West Salisbury; William H. Cannon, Sand Patch; Helen Stark Salisbury, and Mrs. Chris Wahl, Meyersdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker, Meyersdale, announce the birth of a daughter, June 22.

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Pvt. John P. Urbas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Urbas, Midland, stationed with an anti-aircraft division at Fort Eustis, Va., is home on furlough for a week. A brother, Corp. Frank J. Urbas, on maneuvers in Tennessee.

Sgt. J. E. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cook, 325 Ayrevelt avenue, has been transferred from Vancouver, Wash., to Camp Sutton, N. C.

Charles J. Hinkle, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hinkle, Wiley Ford, Va., has been promoted to sergeant and transferred from New Orleans, La., to Camp Polk, La.

Thomas R. Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Post, 512 Louisiana avenue, received his commission as Flight Officer at the South Plains Army Flying School, Lubbock, Tex., and has been transferred to Bowman Field, Ken. He is a glider pilot. A brother, Pfc. Sheldon C. Post, was graduated from the Detroit Army Mechanics Training School, Flint, Mich. The brothers are home for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Whitford, Green Spring, W. Va., have received word that their son, Staff Sgt. Gilbert Whitford, Army Air Forces, has arrived in England. A brother, Sgt. Robert Whitford, Army Air Forces, has been transferred from Salt Lake City, Utah, to an air base at Ephraim, Wash.

Word has been received that Pfc. James W. Reeves, Westernport, completed a rigorous training course, and has been designated a full-fledged Paratrooper at the Marine Training Center's Parachute School at Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Warnick, Sr., Lonaconing, has been advised of the arrival in England of their son, John L. Warnick, Jr.

James M. Donnelly, U. S. Navy, returned to Bainbridge, Md., after

Men and Women in Service

Pvt. George W. Sites, son of Mrs. Leo A. Cesna, Baltimore pike, and Pfc. Edward M. Twigg, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Twigg, 408 Laing avenue, have completed basic training at Fort Knox, Ky., preparatory for combat duty with an armored force unit.

Clement Harold Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Armstrong, Rawlings, received his second lieutenant's commission and the wings of a pilot in recent graduation exercises at the Roswell Army Flying school, Roswell, N. M. Before entering the service in October, 1941, he attended Allegheny high school.

Raymond M. Spicher, son of Earl F. Spicher, Friendsville, has been promoted to the rank of technical sergeant at the Grand Island army air base in Nebraska. He attended the airplane mechanics school at Keesler field, Miss., and the aerial gunnery school at Laredo, Texas. He is now aerial engineer at the Grand Island base.

Staff Sgt. Stuart W. Hawkins, Frostburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Watkin Hawkins, is now stationed at the South Plains army flying school, Lubbock, Tex., where he has started training in Uncle Sam's giant cargo and troop-carrying gliders. Upon completion of training he will receive a commission. He is a graduate of Beall high school.

Lieut. Robert W. Pink, whose local address is 507 Washington street, is attending the anti-aircraft artillery school, Camp Davis, N. C.

Sgt. Thomas M. Campbell, son of Michael J. Campbell, Midland, has been graduated from the army air forces flexible gunnery school at Fort Myers, Fla. Sgt. Campbell, who now qualifies as an aerial gunner, entered the army ten months ago.

Pfc. Edward Shuck, of Barton, has arrived on the campus of the Colorado State College of Education where he has been assigned to the training detachment of the army air forces technical training command. He attended Barton high school where he was active in basketball.

Mrs. Annie M. Miller, 500 Springdale street, Frostburg, received word that her son, Pvt. Paul L. Miller, had been promoted to private first class and transferred from Ft. Petersburg, Fla., to Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Daisy Rosenmerkle, Glenn street, Frostburg, received word that her son, Donald Stephann, graduated from a Radio Operator's school in Chicago, with an average of 92 percent. He was promoted to the rank of corporal. Corp. Stephann is a graduate of Beall High School.

Frostburg, was employed at the Western Maryland Railway shops, prior to his induction into the Army Air Force, December 29, 1942.

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Word has been received that Pfc. James W. Reeves, Westernport, completed a rigorous training course, and has been designated a full-fledged Paratrooper at the Marine Training Center's Parachute School at Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Warnick, Sr., Lonaconing, has been advised of the arrival in England of their son, John L. Warnick, Jr.

James M. Donnelly, U. S. Navy, returned to Bainbridge, Md., after

spending a nine-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Marguerite Durr Donnelly, Cresaptown.

Pvt. Bernard T. Donnelly returned to Fort Knox, Ky., after spending a ten-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ella Donnelly, Cresaptown.

Pfc. James A. Glover returned to Los Angeles, Calif., after spending a 15-day furlough with his wife and son, Mrs. James A. Glover and Jimmy, Cresaptown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Darr, La Vale, received word that their son, Staff Sgt. Irvin G. Darr, has arrived at an undisclosed destination overseas.

Warrant Officer, Jg. Thomas K. Speelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Speelman, 705 Virginia avenue, recently reported for duty at the Air Forces Gunnery School, Tyndall Field, Fla. He is a recent graduate of the Army and Navy Engine School, East Hartford, Conn.

Pvt. Millard T. Reckley, son of A. T. Reckley, 134 New Hampshire avenue, and husband of Hazel M. Reckley, 721 Oldtown road, has been transferred from Fort Meade to New Orleans, La.

Pfc. William J. Donahue, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Donahue, Wood street, Frostburg, has been transferred to the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command Post at Scott Field, Ill., where he will receive an intensive course in radio operation and mechanics.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Starkey, that their son, Pfc. Herman E. Starkey, arrived in North Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grindie, formerly of 411 Franklin street, and now residing in Illinois, received word that their son, Pfc. Gerald G. Grindie, stationed at Camp Polk, La., has been promoted to Private First Class. Pfc. Grindie is a graduate of Allegheny high school.

Ralph Harvey Brant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Brant, of Long, has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, and received his wings as a pilot. It was announced by his commanding officer at the Roswell Army Flying School, Roswell, N. M., Lt. Brant is a graduate of Allegheny high school.

Clement H. Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Armstrong, Rawlings, has received his commission of Second Lieutenant pilot in the Army Air Forces. Lt. Armstrong graduated from the Roswell Army Flying School, Roswell, N. M.

Emerson Lee, seaman, second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Lee, Valley road, has been transferred from Bainbridge, Md., medical school to the Long Island, N. Y., medical hospital.

Mrs. Marie Elkins, 626 Elm street, has received word that her husband, Pfc. Eldon W. Elkins, has been transferred from Fort Meade to Camp Bowie, Tex.

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Homemakers Club Holds Meeting

FRIENDSVILLE, June 27.—The Homemakers club held its monthly meeting Tuesday night. Mrs. Mildred Hoffman gave a talk on "Steps in Dressmaking". At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Maude Dixon.

The next meeting is scheduled for July 19 and a canning demonstration will be given by Mrs. Hoffman. The meeting place will be announced at a later date.

Circle Meets

Mrs. Ralph Murphy entertained Circle 3, of the Woman's Christian Service Society at her home Friday evening. Miss Helen Miller was in charge.

Personals

Sgt. Arnold Dixon, Langley Field, Va., has returned after visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Friend and daughter, Virginia, Mountain Lake Park, visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur DeWitt Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth DeWitt and Mrs. Margaret Flora visited the latter's husband, Neal Flora, Camp Pickett, Va., over the weekend.

Mrs. Roy Shevel, Dundalk, was a guest of Mrs. Rose Tressler Wednesday.

Mrs. Bernice Rodgers is a patient in Memorial hospital, Cumberland. John Williams, Alexandria, Va., was a recent guest of his wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Humberson have had as their guests Ray Humberson, United States Navy, Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Ray Humberson, Baltimore, and Miss Nell Humberson, also of Baltimore.

Corp. and Mrs. Earl Haendling, Sebring, Fla.; Donald Haendling, Baltimore; Mrs. Walter Haendling and daughter, Dorothy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Nicklow, Tuesday.

Sgt. Mark Featherman, Nashville, Tenn., has returned after visiting his sister, Mrs. Iva Fike.

Misses Ruth Haendling and Doris Glass have gone to Baltimore where they will be employed.

Corp. William Fisher, Westover, Mass., has returned after visiting

91 Children Are Enrolled in Vacation School

Annual Courses Being Given in Mt. Savage Methodist Church

MT. SAVAGE, June 27.—Ninety-one children are enrolled in the daily vacation Bible school of the Methodist church. The school is divided into four classes according to the ages of the students. Ten instructors are in charge. Interesting arts and crafts and various educational projects are being taught. Miss Emma Rizer is dean of the school. The enrollment is not limited to children of the Methodist church, but is open to all children in the community regardless of church affiliation.

Brief Items

The first board of review of the Mt. Savage Boy Scout troop was held Thursday evening in O'Connor's field. The traditional camp fire was built and the opening ceremonies were conducted under the direction of George Houck, scoutmaster. The board was convened by Harry Givens, Frostburg; Reofoed Aldridge, Frostburg; Wilson Sweeney and Thomas Stephens, members of the board, were also present.

The Youth Fellowship of St. George's church held a weiner roast Thursday evening at the home of Miss Louise Barnard in honor of Evan Rowley, United States Navy, who is home on leave. Games and camp fire songs furnished the entertainment. Nineteen guests were present.

A party for the benefit of the Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Department will be held tomorrow (Monday) evening at 8:30 o'clock in the Junior Order hall.

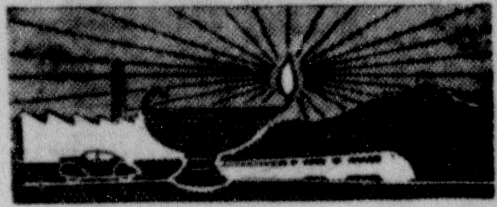
Miss Nellie Carney, Youngstown, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Fannon.

Mrs. Elsie Beeman Dies in Moscow

LONA CONING, June 27 — Mrs. Elsie M. Elser Beeman, wife of James F. Beeman, 52, died at the home of her nephew, Noah Beeman, at Moscow, at 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mrs. Beeman underwent an operation in March at Washington, D. C., and has been in ill health since. She was a native of Keyser, W. Va., the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Elser.

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An Important Court Decision

AN IMPORTANT DECISION was handed down the other day by the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia, the court of last resort in that state.

The plaintiff was Prentiss Brown, administrator of the Office of Price Administration, the defendant Judge Lloyd Arnold, of the Wetzel county circuit court. Brown sought to have the high court prohibit Judge Arnold from carrying into execution a judgment he had entered evicting a tenant in New Martinsville for failing to pay his rent and damaging his landlady's property to the extent of \$500.

Brown based his petition for a writ of prohibition upon the fact that the landlady, in instituting her suit, had failed to comply with a directive of the Rent Control Administration. Lack of jurisdiction was also alleged on the ground that it had been invested by the Emergency Control act in a special court designated the Emergency Court of Appeals.

The real question at issue, accordingly, was whether a federal bureau by issuing a directive or the Congress by enacting a statute may nullify the constitution and laws of the state of West Virginia.

The West Virginia supreme court refused to issue the writ, which it was obliged to do unless it surrendered the sovereignty of the state, and in its opinion quoted a pregnant clause of the constitution of the state, which is worth remembering everywhere because it is in the federal constitution and in other state constitutions:

"The provisions of the constitution of the United States, and of this state, are operative alike in a period of war as in time of peace, and any departure therefrom, or violation thereof, under the plea of necessity, or any other plea, is subversive of good government, and tends to anarchy and despotism."

The five members of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia—they all happen to be members of the Democratic party—deserve applause for this conscientious respect for the fundamental law and denial of an illegal usurpation of power by the central government.

The *Wheeling*, W. Va., *Intelligencer* comments appropriately on this decision. "If a bureau in Washington, by a stroke of the pen," it says, "may nullify our property rights under our state laws, and our state constitution, then that same bureau may likewise nullify our personal rights. If it may deprive us of our property, then it may also deprive us of our liberty."

The *Intelligencer* solemnly warns that it is to this end we have been lucklessly drifting. "It is to this ultimate end we shall continue to drift if the social planners in Washington shall have their way," it says. "The path down which we are to walk is being paved step by step under the guise of social reform, the plea of war necessity."

That is, indeed the case and, as the *Wheeling* paper declares, it shows again as so many times in the past that "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" wherefore it is gratifying that the West Virginia supreme court has thus kept the light burning for it.

Kelly's Observation Seems a Bit Faulty

WHEN the Federal Security Agency's new committee on physical fitness met recently at Washington and discussed a campaign to get young Americans busy on body-building activities through amateur sports, John B. Kelly, of Philadelphia, who is chairman of the committee, said the nation had become soft because of the automobile and "other gadgets," and "the schoolmasters have been spending too much time in cramming—but you can't stop Hitler with perfect English."

Granting Mr. Kelly all the room in the world to speak on matters pertaining to physical education, it cannot be said that he gives a true picture of education otherwise when he says that "schoolmasters have been spending too much time in cramming." Many Europeans who have investigated American education have marveled at the fact that so many years are spent by pupils in grammar school and high school in acquiring the knowledge offered them.

When Mr. Kelly says "you can't stop Hitler with perfect English," there is a temptation to ask him how many millions of Americans speak perfect English. Mr. Kelly did not bring up the question of what America's chances of beating Hitler would be if it were necessary for all Americans to speak perfect English in order to do it, but many school teachers, who vainly attempt

to penetrate the minds of pupils and insert rules of sound grammar, would despair of victory under such circumstances.

If Mr. Kelly thinks that physical education in America has been neglected because too much stress has been placed on forming the mind and inculcating the love of perfect English and a desire to speak it, it is evident that he hasn't paid much heed to the language used by his fellow men.

Some of the Other Forgotten Men

WE have been reading and hearing much about the big wages taken down by some of the skilled workers in the big war industries, to catch which the administration at Washington has enacted a highly oppressive and discriminatory tax measure which penalizes millions of workers who do not receive big pay and whose wages have remained static while wages of others have shot upward. But the fellow in the ordinary jobs of such industries seems to have been overlooked and forgotten along with others.

Here is a case of a married man of 33, just graduated with a degree from a university, whose draft board had finally got around to his number and who, on reporting thereto, was confronted with an order from the War Man Power Commission to proceed to one of the big steel plants instead of going into the army.

Reporting at the steel plant, he found that he would receive seventy-eight cents an hour for forty hours a week with overtime forbidden. That would be \$31.20 a week. But he wouldn't get that. Deductions for War bond purchases (ten per cent), insurance and withholding taxes would reduce his pay envelope to \$23.84. And then there was another deduction, for steel-plated shoes, further cutting the pay. Living conditions around the big plant have been affected by scarcities and inflation so that the bottom price for a single room for himself and his wife would amount to \$13 a week. That would cut the family budget down to \$10.84 and the very best rate for food obtainable for the two of them would be \$2 a day, or \$14 a week.

Thus, this young married couple simply couldn't exist, unless the wife also got a job, which at the time of his reporting was problematical, and even then the family budget would be a fearsome thing.

Yes, there seems to be a lot of forgotten men these days, and how some of them are going to make ends meet is for them a desperate and apparently futile undertaking.

At the rate Allied bombers are wrecking German and Italian cities, a committee of experts may be required after the war to determine which country has the most ruins.

These are trying times for the fellow who was always successful in dodging jobs.

The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

The Browser raises his right hand solemnly and swears that any opinions he is about to set down in print about "A Sense of Humor" (Simon & Schuster) have nothing to do with his friendship for the author, Mrs. Bertha Damon, of Eagle Hill, Berkeley.

It is true that reviewers sometimes temper their wind to the shorn lamb; they scratch backs and roll logs and are untrue to their readers. But in this case it is obvious that the woman who wrote "Grandma Called It Carnal" could not write a bad book and that anything she did write would be rich in humor and wisdom and keen observation of human beings.

That's what you'll find in "A Sense of Humor," the chronicle of Mrs. Damon's life for some years on the Damon place in New Hampshire and the story of her struggle with a hired man named Samule who was as rocky and stubborn as the soil of his native state. For Mrs. Damon, born in Connecticut, transplanted to California, New Hampshire was almost home and once she had taken her bearings she decided to make the old Damon place blossom like the rose.

But first she had to conquer Samule and next she had to conquer the New Hampshire earth which consists of a few inches of brown soil, quantities of rocks and tough hardpan. After years of struggle she succeeded but only after acquiring a "sense of humor" and carting most of the leafmold, compost, manure and kitchen scraps in the country side to the Damon place.

But even more interesting than Mrs. Damon's description of her guardian is the rich compost of human traits and sayings that fill her pages. "A Sense of Humor" is not "escape literature"—but healthily increased participation in living.

In "Murder for Two" (Knopf), George Harmon Cox has produced another of his "Flash" Casey mysteries. "Flash," you may remember, is that husky newspaper photographer who can't keep his nose out of situations that sooner or later get him badly beaten up.

In this book Rosalind Taylor, the crusading columnist on his own paper, gets herself murdered in her automobile. "Flash" doesn't particularly care for the lady but he doesn't see why newspaper people should be murdered so carelessly—and he digs into the violently sordid situation and stays with it to the bitter end. Was Rosalind murdered by her first husband? by her present husband? by her first husband? by a man? by a woman? Don't ask the Browser—he won't give you even a hint. But at the moment Mr. George Harmon Cox is the Browser's favorite in this field. He's a rugged writer and his plots are solid.

The Macmillan Company offers prizes of \$2,500 for the best novel and best work of nonfiction from men or women in the armed forces of the United States, submitted by December 31, 1943. Oddly enough, however, contestants must be between 19 and 35 years old.

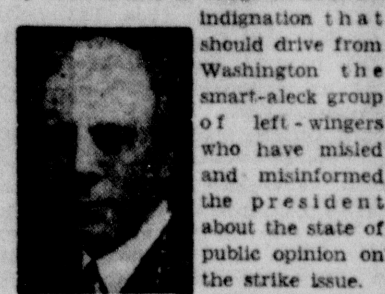
Newest book in the New Home Library (Garden City Pub.) is a Handbook for Home Mechanics—how to fix your gas heater, repair your electrical system, thread a pipe, overhaul your washing machine, etc. . . . until the boys come home. . . . Harold Latham of Macmillans, just back from an eight week swing around the country, says he found numbers of people from every walk of life writing about the POSTWAR world. . . . In these days of paper and labor shortages the publishers' slogan is better late than never. . . . And that's enough on this hot day from Marsh Maslin.

THE BROWSER.

Veto Vote Slams The Left Wingers, Lawrence Says

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, June 27.—There is only one real basis for indignation today as a consequence of the over-riding of President Roosevelt's veto by both houses of Congress. It is an indignation that should drive from Washington the smart-aleck group of left-wingers who have misled and misinformed the president about the state of public opinion on the strike issue.



David Lawrence

There was no sound reason why in the midst of war both houses of Congress, by a two-thirds vote, should have found themselves compelled to register a vote of lack of confidence in the judgment of the president. Such a vote with all its implications to the outside world—for in parliamentary government it would mean the ousting of the executive or else a general election—need not to have occurred. The so-called group of advisers who keep the president from knowing the facts about what is happening in the country have done him a disservice and perhaps a disservice to the prestige of the commander-in-chief of the army and navy.

Whoever wrote that veto message for the president—for it seems incredible that he would write such an illogical and contradictory document himself—did more to break down the position of the president before the Congress and the country than any political opponent ever has done or could do.

Judgment Marked

Mr. Roosevelt was forewarned by the press, but he has developed a cynicism toward the press which warps his judgment. Still there must have been other advisers in his entourage who could read and analyze what has been happening since John L. Lewis began playing fast and loose with the prestige of government agencies.

There was only one way—a law that would require Lewis to come before the War Labor Board and testify, a law that would prevent the encouragement or calling of strikes when the government seized a property or plant. The country wanted such a law. The troops in our camps and our men overseas wanted such a law—they wanted authority exercised promptly and without fear of political consequences. Men in Congress read newspapers. And above all they read letters from constituents—the mothers and fathers and brothers and sisters of the boys in our armed services. War is a serious business and politics has no place in it or the wrath of the country will take its toll of congressmen and senators.

Worst Defeat Ever

Mr. Roosevelt, confident that he can do as he pleases without law, still nurturing the illusion that an executive order is a command—something John Lewis challenged and proved to be fallacious—and still believing that Congress wouldn't override a veto on such a delicate subject as labor legislation, now has a bitter defeat on his record. It is the most vehement expression of disapproval ever registered against the president since he came into office. It may even shake badly the confidence of his group of worshippers who up to now have taken for granted that a fourth term was inevitable and a walk-away.

Where the president made his mistake was, first, in listening to the labor lobby which asked him to veto the bill. Then he made his next

EINSTEIN JOINS NAVY



PROF. ALBERT EINSTEIN, world-famous physicist, has signed with the United States Navy as a "staff member extraordinary" of the ordnance bureau. The scientist, who came to the United States in 1933 as a voluntary exile from Germany, will do research work.

GULLIVER AND THE LILLIPUTIANS



War Labor Board Is Expected To Fold As Result of the Coal Mine Situation

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Shed no tears for John L. Lewis, the triple strike caller, who is supposed to have been put in his place again until October 31.

The place he was put into is neither uncomfortable nor against his choice. He and Interior Secretary Ickes got their heads together and adopted this course either at Ickes's suggestion or with Lewis's agreeing.

It has not become generally known, but Mr. Ickes is involved in as deep and bitter a dispute with the board as Mr. Lewis. Letters have passed between Enforcement Officer Morse, of WLB, and Ickes (or his right hand man, Abe Fortays) which are ten degrees hotter than the unprecedented summer Washington climate.

Journey for Board

Their correspondence has reached such a degree that many an inside rail-sitter suspects either Ickes or the board will have to get out of town before October 31, and the general assumption is that the one to travel will be the board.

Its members are literally fuming to an extent where they cannot talk without sputtering. Their faces are pale, and they show signs of their war of nerves not only with Lewis but with Ickes.

The mere fact that Ickes even talked with Lewis and thereby interfered with their dealings on the various coal strikes, would have been enough to make them run high, but when Ickes kept taking matters out of their hands and assuming to settle negotiations (even though he had an executive order furnishing him to do so, he just about furnished the main basic reason why the coal strike situation is in its current quandary.

So it may be reasonably said that Messrs. Lewis and Ickes really decided to let the problem go for four-and-a-half months to push, or let the board go on the rocks quietly in the interim.

No Draft Extension

Nor will Mr. Lewis be scared much by FDR's request to Congress for extension of the draft age limit to 65 in order to deal with the miners or other strikers. Congress probably will not pass it.

The idea of making millions of people of the country subject to presidential draft at will, in order to punish a few labor leaders, is not apt to have wide political appeal. It looks like another of those administration proposals to avoid direct action against the source of trouble, in favor of a circuitous route and indirect action against all of the people for the sins of a few.

Most of the coal operators seemed to want to settle with Lewis without waiting four-and-a-half months for the outcome of these Ickes-Lewis political ramifications. Their actions suggest they may be scared on two counts.

In the first place, if Lewis sues in court for portal-to-portal pay and gets a judgment, he might be able to collect back wages for five years to 1938. A settlement would not go back so far.

In the second place, Ickes is running their industry and such an aggressive political character is apt to look under all their beds for whatever he can find now that he is in charge of their household.

Board Sharply Divided

The War Labor Board has been on the verge of going out of town or on the rocks several times lately, but, at the moment, seems sharply divided as to its future course.

Some board members want to drop the whole Lewis coal strike proposition and get some sleep for the next few months. They were heartened by the fact that the president mentioned them in his draft message to Congress, a reference which they interpreted as soothing their wounded prestige.

Other members want to make Lewis sign the two-year contract which they told him he must sign. They even want to force the president to force Lewis to sign the contract. This latter group is not likely to get anywhere either at the White House or with Lewis.

The matter, therefore, will probably drift. But it is at least an even money bet that the War Labor Board will not be around here October 31.

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A Brilliant Suggestion

From the *Wheeling*, W. Va., *Intelligencer*

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt has suggested that since the anti-strike law may prevent unions from making contributions to national campaigns, there should also be a law to limit the amount to be spent by candidates. Each candidate for the same office, she suggests, should be permitted to spend exactly the same sum of money, and should, besides, be allowed the same amount of radio time, newspaper advertising and travel time.

All of which at first glance would appear to be an idealistic suggestion put forth in the interest of cleaner politics. But if it should by any remote chance be adopted, what would be the practical and inevitable results.

The first and most forcible conclusion is that Mrs. Roosevelt's plan would enormously favor the party in power, which by a strange coincidence, is headed at the moment by Mrs. Roosevelt's husband.

So great are the advantages held by a national administration, particularly one that has been in office two or more terms, that even if it should be prohibited from spending a cent for campaign purposes, it would still have the edge on a contender able to expend the usual amounts.

This is particularly applicable to the Roosevelt administration, which, ever since 1933, has been indirectly buying votes with billions of dollars from the national treasury. "Spend and spend, tax and tax, elect and elect." With that formula, the New Deal has kept the ballots falling like snowflakes. It has campaigned actively every day for more than ten years, and with unlimited money, as well as with the power to appoint and hire millions of officials and federal employees.

To such an administration, a for-mal campaign fund is merely a bagatelle and its expenditure only a gesture.

Franco's Spain Is Important Factor, C. P. Stewart Says

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

One of my readers questions a statement of mine recently to the effect that Spain is a pretty communistic country. He does not exactly deny what I said, but remarks that it is news to him, and adds that he would like to know the source of my information.

The fact is that Spain has been characterized by a wide streak of radicalism since away back in monarchist days.

As an American newspaper correspondent in Europe quite a while before World War I, I frequently was summoned, in hot haste, from my headquarters in London, to "cover" Red outbreaks in Spanish cities. Then is when I got my original information on the subject of peninsular politics. I got it at first hand. One of those commotions, in Barcelona, didn't fall far short of civil war.

Loose Distinction

True, the "insurrectos" didn't call themselves communists in that era. They described themselves as anarchists, but the distinction was rather loose.

To contend that the Spaniards are 100 per cent communistic now would be ridiculous, of course. I doubt that even the Russians are. Conservatives linger everywhere.

Indeed, I am skeptical that, in a popular election, Spain would give anything but middle-ground majority—or straddle.

The substantial WEIGHT, though, is democratic.

The Madrid government, nevertheless, is the other way. It remains in the monarchist past. It calls itself a republic, but it isn't.

Like Germany

It is like Germany, with a fuhrer. Or like Italy, with a duce. Its boss is a caudillo—Generalissimo Francisco Franco. He isn't one per cent in Adolf Hitler's class. He probably isn't ten per cent in Benito Mussolini's.

He just squeaked in against an adverse majority.

He was not sure it was adverse, but took a chance—to become a dictator.

The democracies ought to have helped him.

Support Given

They didn't hump themselves to do it. Hitler and Mussolini did. They gave him the support he needed, and he got himself, at least temporarily, entrenched.

His country is all right, but his organization is a pest.

The gent who questions me wants to be told—

Didn't Russia give as much aid to the Spanish Communists as the Nazis and the Italian Fusionists did?

No, the Russians didn't. Neither did the rest of the democracies.

They were too busy elsewhere.

Reckoning Worth While

It will be worth their while to reckon with Spain in connection with the coming invasion of Europe.

Latin America figures in the equation, too.

Spain is no inconsiderable factor over here, let alone its bearing across the water.

Out Latin-American republics count materially in our reckonings.

And they have their reaction in Spain.

There is considerable talk to the effect that it is a handy country as a landing place.

It doesn't follow that it is communistic, though.

I do think it is Russo-Spanish, but it is a queer combination.

Do they? I would like to get them together.

You have to compare them.

A Hard Hit Group

Representative Adolph J. Sabath, of Illinois

We cannot sit idly by and permit the consumers of this nation, and especially the 21,000,000 white-collar workers and the unorganized small-wage worker, and their families, to be the suffering victims of the ever-increasing cost of living. They cannot be ignored any longer and should not be a prey to unscrupulous speculators and black-market farmers to be enriched at the expense of those people whose wages and salaries have not been increased and who, today, are obliged to pay nearly 100 per cent more for their food.

Compare the present living costs of the white-collar worker and the unorganized small wage worker with the fare of the farmer today. In that connection, I wish to direct attention to a speech delivered by our colleague, the gentleman from Texas (Mr. Patman) on Saturday, June 19, appearing in the RECORD on page A3325 of the Appendix, in which he gave figures and statistics showing that since August 1939, the increase in the price of farm products to the consumer approximates 110 per cent.

On the other hand, the figures show that since 1939, the increased cost of farm equipment, implements, machinery, clothing, shoes, boots and other farm necessities is not quite fifteen per cent. So the increased cost of living to the consumer worker is about eight times greater than what the farmer is obliged to pay for his farm needs.

Blood Pressure, Taken by Doctors For Forty Years, Still a Mystery

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One would think that by this time everything about blood pressure had been settled. I used to collect literature on blood pressure. I started to put it in a book case in a filing system at my office and then I carried it home and put it in the cellar and it accumulated so that it ran up the walls like an erysipelas and finally reached the attic. And I had made only a partial collection. (P.S. My wife, poor wretch, made me throw it all out.)

Doesn't Recall Much
One would think also that from this accumulation of literature that everything about blood pressure had been written. But it is not so. I doubt whether even an accomplished practitioner of medicine takes a blood pressure and looks at a result he has the slightest idea how little information he has obtained.

This was brought forcefully to my attention about a year ago when I was trying to find out how many people at a certain age had a blood pressure over 150 systolic. I knew perfectly well what the average blood pressure of a man at the age of 50 is—the life insurance companies have told us that—but I did not want the average blood pressure. I wanted to know what the incidence of a blood pressure over 150 is—how many people have it.

I went to the directors of two life insurance companies in my neighborhood and found out not only that they did not know, but that all the literature they had on actuarial tables did not tell them. I then wrote to the medical directors of six life insurance companies in the United States and found that they did not know, but two of them very kindly consented to go over their figures and give me the results. These showed—that at the age of 50 about ten per cent of people had a systolic blood pressure of 150 or over.

This is supposed to be the upper limit of normal, but obviously the life insurance statistics deal with a selected group. A man at the age of 50 does not submit himself to a life insurance examination if he knows he has high blood pressure or if he is being treated for low blood pressure or if he had high blood pressure in the past.

Data Collected
I therefore sent out questionnaires to a number of my professional colleagues and asked them to give me the figures on consecutive patients that they saw in the office and in the hospital. I also collected a number of my own on consecutive unselected patients. The results of this investigation of those

who were confessedly sick showed that about fifty per cent of people at the age of 50 had a blood pressure over 150. This would indicate that high blood pressure at the age of 50 was more normal than abnormal because more people had it.

These figures of mine are substantiated by a study just completed which shows that on taking the blood pressures of about 15,000 people over 40 years of age the systolic blood pressure was 150 or over as follows: From age 40 to 50 in thirteen per cent; ages 50 to 60 in thirty per cent; ages 60 to 70 in forty-nine per cent; ages 70 to 79 in fifty-eight per cent and from 80 to 89 in sixty-one per cent.

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Answer: A fistula is a tract which extends from one opening in the body to another. It is almost always caused by infection and therefore discharges pus and other material. A fissure is nothing more than a longitudinal crack in the skin or mucous membrane. In answer to your third question, I presume you are referring to rectal fissure and rectal fistula in which case I would say there is no danger of either of them turning into cancer.

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Theaters Today

"Harrigan's Kid" Has Race Track Thrills

Thrills of the race track plus the intensely human story of a young jockey's regeneration provide mingled excitement, comedy, and drama in "Harrigan's Kid," now showing at the Maryland theater. Laid amid jockeys, trainers and followers of the turf, it is essentially the story of a boy's reformation.

Bobby Readick, young acting discovery from the New York stage, who scored in "George Washington Slept Here," makes his first screen appearance in the picture, playing a young jockey, coached by a former star of the turf and unscrupulous bookmaker, and versed in all the unfair tricks of the racing business. He is taken in hand by a kindly and honest trainer (Frank Craven) and through him learns the ideals of sportsmanship which carry him through when his evil associates press him to "lose" a race to

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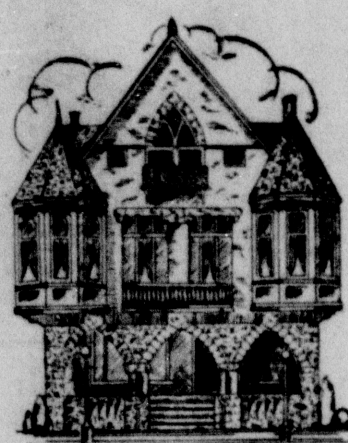


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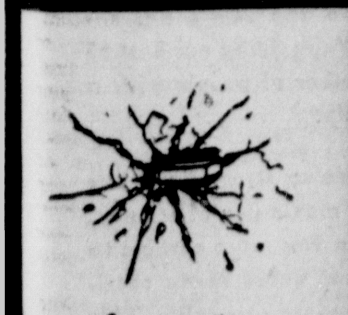
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Local Man Weds York, Pa., Girl in Church Ceremony

Miss Sara Belle Strayer Becomes the Bride of August T. Brust, Jr.

Miss Sara Belle Strayer, daughter of Mrs. Anna E. Strayer, York, Pa., and August Trago Brust, Jr., 111 Washington street, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Trago Brust, Frederick, were married at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The double ring ceremony was performed in Christ Lutheran church, York, with the Rev. Gerald G. Neely, pastor, officiating. The altar was decorated with white gladioli and palms.

During the short recital preceding the ceremony, a Norman Lindsay, church organist, played "Barcarolle," from Offenbach's "Tales of Hoffman;" "Kinders' In Moonlight," and Bach's "Arioso." He also played the traditional wedding marches.

Mrs. Joseph M. Lee, York, was matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Miss Martha E. Parker, Dunbar, Pa., and Miss Helen E. Patterson, Tamaqua, Pa., both classmates of the bride at college.

Dr. James E. Stoner, Jr., Washington, D. C., served as Mr. Brust's best man and O. J. Hale, Cumberland, Pa., as best man. Mr. Brust's parents are Mr. and Mrs. August Trago Brust, Frederick, and Mrs. Anna E. Strayer, York, Pa.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her mother, wore a white marquisette and Chantilly lace gown. The lace bodice was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves. Her full length veil was held by a Juliette cap of pearls, and a bouquet of white gladioli completed her costume.

Her attendants were attired in gowns of white marquisette and eyelet batiste, made similar to the bride's with sweetheart neckline and short puffed sleeves. Their shoulder-length veils were held by roses and they carried bouquets of flame colored gladioli.

The bride's mother wore a French blue dress with rose accessories and an orchid shoulder corsage. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a turquoise blue dress with white accessories and an orchid corsage completed her costume.

The bride is a graduate of William Penn Senior high school, York, and received her bachelor of science degree from Hood college, Frederick, June 7, 1940. While at college she was house president of Strawn cottage, circulation manager of the "Blue and Grey," the weekly student publication, and a senior representative on the college civilian defense council.

The bridegroom was graduated from Frederick high school and Western Maryland college, Westminster, in 1939, where he was a member of the Black and White club. He was formerly sports editor of the Frederick Post and is now a member of the editorial staff of The Cumberland News.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding reception was held for the bride party, immediate families and intimate friends at the Hotel Yorktown, after which the couple left for a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Brust will be at home at 311 Greene street, after July 1. Preceding the rehearsal Friday evening a dinner was served the bride party and immediate families at the Hotel Penn.

Two Damage Suits Are Filed Here

A suit by titling asking an undisclosed amount of damages was filed in circuit court Saturday for Jacqueline Fishell by her parents, John H. N. Fishell and Ethel M. Fishell, against the Gulf Oil Company.

Paul M. Fletcher, attorney for the eleven-year-old girl, said she was badly injured last August when struck by a truck owned by the company while playing with other children near the Lafferty siding. The child was a patient in a local hospital for more than six months.

A \$25,000 damage suit was filed against Fred W. Jenkins, trading as the Astor Cab Company, by Eldred W. Fletcher, this city, who charges negligence on the part of a taxi driver, Charles Z. Heskett, attorney for Fletcher, alleges his client was unable to work for five weeks, besides incurring medical expenses following injuries suffered several months ago, when the taxi-cab in which he was a passenger was wrecked near Cumberland.

Child Is Hurt

Three-year-old Shirley Simpson was treated at Allegheny hospital, Friday evening for a leg laceration, suffered when she fell from a porch and struck a washtub at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson, 448 Wilbur Grove.

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Jaycees Release Birthday List For Next Week

The forty-fourth list of men and women in service having birthdays in the week of July 4-10 has been released by the Junior Association of Commerce. Eighty-eight names appear on the list.

July 4
George J. Billmeyer, 133 N. Mechanic St., Edward L. Clinebell, 511 Maryland Ave., Walter H. Fletcher, 200 Decatur St., Wesley E. Hilleary, 323 Bedford St., Kenneth L. Kismore, R. F. D. No. 5, Bowling Green, Leo G. LaNeve, 190 N. Centre St., Ralph D. Noland, Paw Paw, W. Va., Melvin L. Osbourne, 125 Grand Ave., Clyde L. Piper, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 66, Oldtown, Howard B. Peer, 220 Oak Street, Charles W. Roy, 1129 Bedford Road, Scott K. Stahl, 143 Hanover St., Clyde T. Strauss, 427 Greene St., John P. Nose, 119 Independence St., Judy F. Naezler, Braddock Road, Clyde S. Taylor, 119 Paca St.

July 5
Charles E. Burke, 461 Williams St., William L. Faulkner, 109 N. Hampshire Ave., Richard H. Glass, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 378, Wayne A. Godlove, 451 Pennsylvania Ave., Oscar M. Grayson, 405 E. Oldtown Road, Robert L. Izzett, 209 Bedford St., John E. Lippold, 63 Greene St., Ralph M. Luman, 224 Fayette St., John J. Simmons, 233 Baltimore Ave., Thomas F. Stallings, 203 Valley Street, Robert J. Turano, 205 Baltimore St., Charles M. Gerlach, LaVale, William E. Decker, 34 Second St., Ridgely.

July 6
Oswald E. Arbogast, B. and O. Y. M. C. A., Herman W. Brant, 515 E. Third St., Russell E. Dencock, Cresaptown, Ellisworth J. Dickel, Corrigansville, Perry W. Fields, 209 Railroad Place, Herman F. Goodenow, 21 Williams St., Robert E. Hager, 332 Baltimore Ave., Benjamin H. Gordon, Rawlings, George Haines, 318 Estella St., Luther W. Korns, R. F. D. No. 1, Chester E. Moody, R. F. D. No. 1, Narrows Park, William D. Norris, R. F. D. No. 1, Hancock, Md., Lewis J. Ort, Long, Paul E. Prinity, Ellerslie, Charles H. Seltzer, 238 N. Mechanic St., Charles Johns, 210 Fulton St., Harry D. Noe, 215 Dexter Place.

July 7
Thomas K. Dawson, 412 Goethe St., Donald H. Golden, 22 Marion St., Francis D. Largent, 1010 Ella Ave., Bernard Myers, 334 N. Mechanic St., John J. Reinhard, 13 N. Allegany St., Paul E. Ziller, 305 Virginia Ave., Harold A. Tansill, 432 Laing Ave., James L. Yeargan, 404 Maryland Ave., Samuel M. Shaffer, 211 N. Hampshire Ave., James G. Zink, 316 Furnace St.

July 8
George O. Atkinson, 17 N. Allegany St., William J. Clayton, 404 Laing Ave., Kenneth E. Clinebinst, Corrigansville, William J. Crane, Oldtown, John R. Daychack, 210 Aviret Ave., Thomas J. Deifbaugh, 410 Park St., Paul F. Hartge, Corrigansville, Raymond E. Humbertson, 621 Greene St., William P. James, R. F. D. 3, Harry C. Lapp, 68 Boone St., Joseph M. Lear, Mt. Savage, Richard N. Spangler, 410 Broadway, Ogden L. Suder, Corrigansville, Orville G. Swartley, 413 Race St., Wayne A. Riggleman, 703 Princeton St., Bernard T. Kenney, R. F. D. No. 1, Westminster, George T. Shoemaker, Zihlman.

July 9
Clarence Barton, Cresaptown, Richard E. Borup, 218 Cumberland St., Walter E. Pierce, 700 Washington St., Richard W. Reuschlein, 308 Decatur St., George L. Stegmayer, 10 N. Lee St., John O. Wolfe, Ellerslie.

July 10
Donald L. Davis, 166 Spring St., Harry E. Hensel, Corrigansville, Richard L. Herboldsheimer, 638 Fairview Ave., William E. Kane, 219 Independence St., Melvin T. Miller, 1018 Virginia Ave., John K. Morgan, LaVale, James E. Nail, Star Route, Plintontown, William L. Murphy, 512 Marshall St., Paul E. Fromhart, Keyser, W. Va.

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Vera Smith, Lake Charles, La., and Sgt. Charles A. Zembower,

Paul Riggleman And Miss Newcomb Will Wed July 17

Miss Maxine Newcomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newcomb, North Branch, has set July 17 for the date of her marriage to Paul K. Riggleman, second class petty officer, United States Navy, son of Mrs. Hazel Alger, 13 West Second street.

The ceremony will be performed at 6 o'clock in the evening in Davis Memorial church, with the Rev. Floyd L. Morris, pastor of Aldersgate Methodist church, Washington, D. C., cousin of the bride, officiating.

Miss Ruth Newcomb will be her sister's maid of honor and only attendant. L. H. Barnes, petty officer, Norfolk, Va., will serve as best man.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Fort Hill high school, class of '39, and Catherman's Business school. She is now employed on the staff of the Celanese Corp. of America. She served as Commissioner of Worship of the Sub-District Youth Fellowship of the Methodist church, and has been made honorary president of Young Peoples' Association in her own church.

Mr. Riggleman, also a graduate of Fort Hill high school, class of '39 and attended Catherman's Business school. Since entering the United States Navy Mr. Riggleman has completed a course of instruction at the navy clerical school, Norfolk, Va., rating with the highest average of the class. He is now associated with the personnel division of the naval station.

TWO LOCAL WOMEN ENTER ARMED FORCES

Local recruiters announced Saturday the names of local women who have enlisted in the WAACs and the WAVES and three local youths who will report soon for training as army air cadets.

Gladys V. Howsare, daughter of William A. Howsare, Route 4, was sworn into the WAACs Saturday by Lieut. Lee E. Falcone, local recruiter. An employee of the Allegheny Ordnance plant, she is a graduate of Everett, Pa., high school.

Betty Maxine Norris Shobe, daughter of Mrs. Virginia E. Norris, 24 Elder street, and Oscar E. Norris, Camp Van Dorn, Miss., will leave here Tuesday for Hunter college to begin training in the WAVES. Harry L. Heins, first class petty officer, announced.

A graduate of Fort Hill high school, she was an employee of the Allegheny Ordnance plant. Her father enlisted in the army in February.

Brandon K. Fuller, 114 Winston place, Charles Bourds, 606 Camden avenue, and Paul E. Steina, Roberts place, have passed the examination for army aviation cadets and will report for training within a few weeks, according to Tech. Sgt. Clarence Blehn, local army recruiter.

Traffic Accidents Increase in May

The Maryland Traffic Safety Commission reports that there were 1,012 traffic accidents in Maryland during May, resulting in twenty-three persons being killed and 631 injured. This was an increase of fifty-five accidents, one death and ten injuries over the previous month. However, there was a decrease of 545 accidents, 16 deaths and 172 injuries as compared with May 1942.

Fourteen of the twenty-three persons killed were pedestrians, seven were passengers in motor vehicles in collision with other motor vehicles, and two were passengers in vehicles which struck fixed objects.

There were three accidents in Allegheny county, but no one was killed and only one person injured. There was one accident in Garrett county with one injury.

CELANESE WILL CHANGE PAYDAYS

The Celanese Corporation of America will pay its employees on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week beginning July 20, according to an announcement made Saturday. Walter R. Walters, president of Local 1874, TWU, said the company has notified the union of the change from the usual Thursday and Friday paydays.

Company and union officials said that the pay which is due Thursday, July 15, will not be paid until the following Tuesday in order to place the new schedule into effect. The change, according to Celanese officials, was made due to the time required by the company to arrange the deductions under the federal withholding tax.

Russell S. Davis, chairman of the Unemployment Board of Maryland, has notified the union of several changes in the unemployment law. These changes have been posted at the union hall for the information of the membership, Walters stated.

Announcement is also made that Local 1874 will hold a meeting of the Lonaconing sub-committee Wednesday, June 30, at the Firemen's armory at 7 p. m.

Lake Charles Army Air Base, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Zembower, Bedford, Pa., formerly of Cumberland, has been made.

The ceremony was performed June 18 at the paragonage of the First Baptist church, Lake Charles, with the Rev. W. L. Stagg, Jr., officiating.

Miss Margaret Smith and Sgt. C. J. Himes were the attendants.

Initiation Ceremony Is Held by Women of Moose

Personals

Miss Jean Meyers, student at Catherine Gibbs school, New York City, is spending her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd R. Meyers, 224 Washington street.

Miss Elizabeth Doub, Washington, D. C., was the weekend guest of her father, former Judge Albert A. Doub, 403 Washington street.

Mrs. Alexander Sloan, Philadelphia, Pa., and Alexander Sloan, student at Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster, Pa., were weekend guests of Mrs. Matthew H. Sloan, Washington street.

Lieut. William H. Geppert, United States Naval Reserve, is here from Amanteo, N. C., naval air station to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Geppert, 766 Fayette street. He will return tomorrow accompanied by his wife and baby who have been visiting his parents.

Ensign H. S. Hayward, United States Naval Reserve, Boston, Mass., visited his aunt, Mrs. Amy Coward, 782 1/2 Fayette street, Saturday, while enroute to Boston after a business trip to Washington, D. C. Ensign Hayward, formerly a resident here, is at present assistant press officer for the First Naval District Public Relations office.

Staff Sgt. John Lewis, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, Ind., accompanied by Miss Ernestine Morris, Centerville, Ind., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lewis, Route 5, Winchester road.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Albright and Miss Margaret Albright, Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Margaret Albright and Mrs. Thomas Griffin, 905 Fayette street.

and son Garret Van Swearingen, and son Gerret Van Swearingen, Patterson avenue, are visiting in New York. Tomorrow Garret will leave for Aloha Camp for Boys, Lake Morey, Vt.

Helen Clare Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Davis, 217 Washington street, and Constance Cook, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Russell Cook, The Dingle, will leave tomorrow for Aloha Camp for Girls, Lake Morey, Vt. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Cook as far as Philadelphia.

William Davis, son of Dr. and Mrs. Frank U. Davis, 24 Washington street, will leave tomorrow for Philadelphia where he will visit for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Rizer, Wiley Ford, W. Va., have returned from visiting their son, Louis J. Rizer, seaman second class, Great Lakes Training school, Ill.

Pvt. Edward Joseph Murray, Camp Meade, was the weekend guest of his sister, Miss Mary Murray, Mt. Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson and son, Arne, 840 Greene street, have returned from a three weeks vacation in Middletown, Conn.

Miss Hazel Lepey, Corrigansville, is convalescing after an appendectomy at Allegheny hospital.

Pvt. George E. Lehman has returned to Fort Eustis, Va., after visiting his wife, Mrs. Naomi Lehman, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Lehman, 227 Pear street.

John Reynolds, 507 Dilley street, is visiting relatives in Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Corp. Paul J. Fisher, army air force instructor, St. Petersburg, Fla., is spending a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Fisher, 130 Columbia street.

Mrs. Ruth Burkhardt, Fairgo, is visiting her husband Albert Burkhardt, Baltimore. He is attending Radio Signal Corps school at Johns Hopkins university.

Mrs. Reid D. Moser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Robinson, 822 Shriver avenue, left Saturday to spend some time with her husband, Sgt. Reid D. Moser, Yuma, Arizona. Sgt. Moser is the son of Mrs. S. B. Moser, 607 Goethe street, and the late Samuel Bruce Moser.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Murphy returned to their home, Staten Island, N. Y., after spending several days at the home of their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Webb, 807 Louisiana avenue. They were accompanied home by Patsy Ann Webb, their grand-niece, who will spend her vacation with them.

Miss Wilda Steckman, 209 Reynolds street, and Mrs. Martha Cochran, 141 Hanover street, returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. McKee, Barboursburg, O.

Mrs. John Burkhardt, 210 Seymour street, is visiting her son, Pvt. Emlen Burkhardt at Camp Shelby, Miss. She is accompanied by his wife Mrs. Wanda Burkhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fisher and daughter, Rayetta, Michigan avenue, returned from visiting their son, Howard Fisher and family, Hagerstown, and Mr. Fisher's sister, Mrs. George Joy, Brunswick.

Mrs. Natalie McKenzie, Ridgely, is visiting her husband, Pfc. McKenzie, McKenzie, New York City.

Corp. Joseph W. Hogan, flight engineer, Homestead, Fla., returned after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Hogan, 420 Beall street. He was visited here by his sister, Miss Angela Hogan and cousin, Mrs. Angela B. Murphy, both of Washington.

Mrs. Verna S. Imler, Pittsburgh, is here due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Patrick Hogan, 206 Beall street.

Mrs. J. C. Cessna, Fayette street, is visiting in Connellsville and Berlin, Pa.

Virgil V. (Mickey) McClune, naval air station, De Land, Fla., is spending a six day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McClune, 439 N. Centre street.

Wilson M. Means, naval air station, De Land, Fla., and Mrs. Means, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Means, 213 Knox street.

Staff Sgt. John Cowden, who has been overseas seventeen months; Ellery J. Ward, Smyrna, Del., who

Group of Eighty Candidates Initiated as the Mary Hooper Class

The Mary Hooper class of eighty candidates was initiated in the Cumberland Chapter No. 914, Women of the Moose, yesterday afternoon in the ballroom of the Fort Cumberland hotel, with the Baltimore Chapter in charge of the initiatory work. The class was named in honor of Mrs. Hooper, grand regent of the College of Regents, Baltimore.

The local chapter, serving as hostess for the convention, conducted the opening ceremony for the women's session.

At the business meeting which followed, Mrs. Hooper announced that the Baltimore City Chapter was sponsoring thirty-three nurses and that each of the fifty-six chapters in the state was sponsoring one, in the "Student Nurse from Every Chapter" campaign. Mrs. Ada McCauley, conference secretary, announced Miss Dorothy Cunningham, of Mt. Savage, is the local chapter's student and entered the Allegheny Hospital School of Nursing last December. She also reported on the Red Cross work done by members and the blood donated to Memorial hospital.

Reporting on the war bonds purchased, Mrs. Gertrude Williams, senior regent, announced the local chapter has two \$100 bonds. Reports of other chapters were also given including Baltimore city with \$15,000.

Approximately 200 members attended the session.

Eight Births Reported In Local Hospitals

Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Puhalla, 214 Utah avenue, announce the birth of a daughter Saturday morning in Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Smith, Route 3, Saturday in Allegheny hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Valley road, announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday in Allegheny hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Clayton, Pinto, in Allegheny hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arger Burton, 619 Shriver avenue, announce the birth of a daughter Saturday evening in Allegheny hospital. Mrs. Burton is the former Miss Patricia Hill.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin K. Wolfe, 26 Barncock street, Ridgely, yesterday afternoon in Allegheny hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Ritz, Hancock, announce the birth of a daughter in Memorial hospital yesterday afternoon.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott, Slebert, yesterday afternoon in Memorial hospital.

SEVEN DEEDS FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT

Seven deeds were filed in circuit court Friday. Property transfers were as follows:

Mary E. Sigler to James Magruder and Leona E. Magruder, three lots in Shaw's addition to Barton, for about \$1,100.

Harry M. Davis and Cora M. Davis to Charles H. Merritt and Myrtle Marie Merritt, property near Uhl highway in election district No. 16, for about \$200.

Harry Wright and Effie Wright to Frank P. Gaither and Elizabeth Gaither, property in Homewood addition. No consideration.

Mary K. Watkins Atkinson to Frederick W. Watkins and Kathryn V. Watkins, lot in Morantown, for about \$200.

Winner Bowman and Norb P. Bowman to George E. Shepherd and Hazel M. Shepherd, lots No. 20, 21 and 22, section C in Bowman's Cumberland Valley addition, for about \$100.

Carl Cessna and Mary M. Cessna to Paul Francis Hentz, three lots in Bowman's addition to LaVale, for about \$2,700.

Edward F. Maybort and Mary V. Maybort to Carlton R. Hershberger and Lena M. Hershberger, lot No. 24 in Braddock Farms addition, for \$4,900.

will leave for army service July 6, and Mrs. R. Paul Cunningham, Connellsville, Pa., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Olive D. Ward, 215 Beall street. Mrs. Cunningham is accompanied by her husband, Mrs. Ellery J. Ward, Smyrna, Del., and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ward, Baltimore, arrived yesterday to visit Mrs. Ward.

Yeoman Second Class John J. McLean and Mrs. McLean, with their daughter, Pamela, returned to Baltimore. They were accompanied by Mrs. McLean's brothers, Wallace and Alan Beaulieu, 124 North Smallwood street.

Miss Ruth Stallings, employee of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone company, Havre de Grace, Md., is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stallings, Bedford road.

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of Cumberland

Friendship Night Is Observed by Eastern Star

Mrs. Marguerite Wagner was initiated by Cumberland Chapter, No. 56, Order of the Eastern Star, at the Friendship night celebration Friday evening at the temple. The ceremony was established in 1926 by Mrs. Margaret MacMillen, Washington, D. C., formerly of here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Landis, worthy matron and Paul M. Rice worthy patron, presided. They were assisted by officers from other chapters including Mrs. Emma Miller, worthy matron of McKinley Chapter, No. 12; William Hyde, worthy patron of Barton Chapter No. 37; Mrs. Gertrude Farrell, assistant matron, Bethlehem Chapter, No. 14; Westernport; Mrs. Gladys Knight, Ruth, also of Bethlehem Chapter; Mrs. Marie McClintock, Esther, Mountain Chapter, Frostburg; Mrs. Ruby Gattens, Martha, Barton Chapter No. 37; and Mrs. Ida Valentine, Warder, McKinley Chapter No. 12.

Mrs. Alberta Morton impersonated the spirit of Friendship in the ceremony entitled, "Friendship Hour," which was presented by Miss Margaret Flurshtuz, Mrs. Beatrice Ashworth, Mrs. Marie Lohr, Mrs. Harriett Roby, Miss Ruth Screen, Mrs. Addie Glover, Mrs. Harriett Rice, Mrs. Hildah Funkhouser, Mrs. Elizabeth Lamp, Mrs. Catherine Beall, Miss Mary Aronholt, Mrs. Pauline Grosh, Mrs. Alberta Morton and Mrs. Landis.

Gifts were presented to the officers taking part in the program, and a social hour concluded the evening with Mrs. Wiona Mangus and Mrs. Nellie Day as hostesses. Approximately 100 guests attended. Meetings have been discontinued until September.

WEST VIRGINIA COUPLE WED IN BALTIMORE

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Hedrick of Red Creek, W. Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Grace Hedrick, Baltimore.

To Sgt. Clyde H. Speer, United States Army, Camp McCain, Miss. The ceremony was performed June 21 in the paragonage of the Presbyterian church, Baltimore, with the Rev. Arthur F. Wells officiating.

The bride was attired in a powder blue street length dress with white accessories and a corsage of orchids completed her costume. She is a graduate of Davis high school, Davis, W. Va., and is now employed at Edgewood Arsenal, Baltimore.

The bridegroom, the son of Mrs. Daisy Speer, Franklin, W. Va., and H. A. Speer, Parkersburg, W. Va., is a graduate of Williamson district high school, Williamson, W. Va., and Mountain State Business college, Parkersburg. Sgt. Speer was formerly in charge of the army recruiting stations in Welch and Bluefield, W. Va. He is now with the Eighty-seventh division at Camp McCain.

Fire Damages Home

A blaze which originated in a davenport in the living room of the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bantz, 213 Aviret avenue, Saturday morning at 3:30 o'clock badly damaged the interior of the living room and the furniture. Furniture in an adjoining room was scorched.

West Side company No. 3 checked the blaze.

Cresap Homemakers Cancel Meeting

The Cresap Homemakers Club has cancelled the meeting for July and will hold the next meeting July 27 in the Cresaptown Methodist church social hall.

Miss Dora A. Lewis will lead a panel discussion on the "Value of Nineteen Years of Rural Women's Short Course, to the Individual, the County and to the State."

Events in Brief

The Christian Endeavor Societies of Cumberland will hold a service at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at a constitution park, followed by a wienner roast.

The Faithful Workers Bible Class of the first Baptist church school will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Glenmore Rice, 1907 Bedford street, with Mrs. Loren Davis as co-hostess.

Members of Trinity Lutheran church were entertained by Mrs. Albert Kliffner, Shades Lane, Friday evening and prizes were won by Mrs. George H. Davis and Mrs. Robert Meister.

Walter Orndorff was honor guest of members of the Mizpah Bible class of Emmanuel Methodist church at a farewell party Friday evening. He will leave this week for military service. Games and music featured the entertainment.

Miss Alma Michael entertained with a surprise shower in honor of Mrs. Joseph Lynch, Friday evening at her home, Camden avenue. Cards were played and prizes won by Mrs. Mayme B. Street, Mrs. Gertrude Hartsock, Miss Anna Lee Stark and Miss Dorothy Khaya.

NOTICE

The office of Swedish Massage and Physio-Therapy will be closed until further notice due to the death of our son.

Funeral 3 P. M. Sunday, Stein Funeral Home

W. E. Capaldi, P.H. T. and Elizabeth

William Orndorff Weds Miss Eliza J. Owens

Miss Doris Gunther Is Honor Guest At Several Parties

Several farewell parties have been given in honor of Miss Doris Gunther during the past week. Miss Gunther, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. Arnold Gunther, 526 Cumberland street, has resigned her position as technician at Memorial hospital, to become a junior bacteriologist at the Maryland State Department of Health, Baltimore. She will assume her duties July 1. Mrs. Ursula Bantz, Mrs. George Garlitz and Miss Alice Stakem were among the hostesses entertaining.

Celanese Patents Illuminated Dye

Celanese Corporation of America last week was granted two United States Letters Patent relating to the production of illuminated discharge effects on dyed textile materials.

According to the process of the first patent, illuminated discharge effects on azo dyed textile material are obtained by locally applying a discharge paste comprising a vat

Cards Edge Out Twice, Hold Half-Game Lead

Both Victories -- Lit-
whiler Stars

CHICAGO, June 27 (AP) — The
Louis Cardinals, with Danny
Wright's two homers supplying
the rule in the opener and his
double starting the winning rally
in the eighth inning of the night-
cap, twice edged out the Chicago
Cubs before a crowd of 37,792 today,
to 2 and 4 to 3, to preserve their
half-game lead over the
Brooklyn Dodgers.

Litwhiler hit a seventh inning
home to cut Claude Passeau's early
lead in the opener and then,
after Harry Walker singled and
was forced by Stan Musial in the
ninth, cleared the left field wall
by the tying and winning runs.
The pair of homers brought his
season's total to seven, four of
them against the Cubs.

The Cubs kayoed Harry Gumbert
with three runs for a 3-1 lead in
the fourth inning on the nightcap.
When play resumed after an hour's
weather wait, Litwhiler, who scored
the Redbirds' first run after beat-
ing out a single in the second in-
ning, doubled with one out in the
eighth. He advanced on an out
and scored the 3-3 tying run as
George Kurovsky topped a single
in front of Pitcher Henry Wyse.
Ray Sanders then doubled in the
ninth run.

Relief Pitcher Howie Krist, who
needed one-batter assistance from
Harry Brecheen after working the
last part of the first game, shut
out the Cubs during the last five
and two-thirds innings of the night-
cap to get credit for both victories,
improving his season's record to six
wins against one defeat.

In the opener, the Cubs made
twelve hits for sixteen bases off
Mort Cooper, in seven innings but
could only score single runs in the
first and second frames. The six-
teen runners they left on base came
within two of the all-time major
league record. The scores:

First Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	3	10	0
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Second Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	4	12	1
Brooklyn	25	3	10	0

Third Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Fourth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Fifth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Sixth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Seventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Eighth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Ninth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Tenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Eleventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Twelfth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Thirteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Fourteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

Fifteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
St. Louis	25	2	12	1
Brooklyn	25	1	6	0

TODAY'S PITCHERS

NEW YORK, June 27 (AP) — Prob-
able pitchers in the major leagues
tomorrow (won-lost records in pa-
rentheses):

National League
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh (night) —
Walters (3-6) vs. Sewell (9-2).
Only game scheduled.

American League
No games scheduled.

Senators Bow 5-4 After Walloping Athletics, 9 to 0

WASHINGTON, June 27 (AP) — The
Washington Senators and the Phila-
delphia Athletics split a double-
header today before 25,000 fans,
with the Senators shutting out the
A's, 9 to 0, in the opener and the
A's bouncing back to win the night-
cap, 5 to 4, with a three-run rally
in the ninth.

In the first game, Roger Wolff
gave three walks in the first in-
ning, then, along with singles by
Bob Johnson, Gerald Priddy and
Ellie Clary enabled the Senators to
take a three-run lead.

The assault was continued on
Don Black in the fourth and fifth
innings and on Burt Kuczyński who
was touched for the last two runs
in the sixth.

The Athletics took a two-run
lead in the second inning of the
second game after Dick Siebert
and Pete Suder singled. Siebert
going to third on Suder's hit.
Irvin Hall squeezed Siebert over
the plate and sent Suder to second.
Russ Christopher singled to
center, scoring Suder.

In the seventh the Senators fell
on Christopher for four hits, one
a double by Jake Early and took
the lead by scoring three runs.

Siebert and Suder opened the
ninth with singles. After Hall
fled to center, Pinch-Hitter Estelle's
single scored Heffner, running for
Siebert, with the tying tally. A
walk to Elmer Felt forced Estelle,
Jo-Jo White rapped a single, scoring
Suder and Wela. The Senators
came back in their half of the in-
ning to score once but, with the tying
run on third, Suder gathered in
Priddy's pop fly to end the game.
The scores:

First Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	9	12	1
Athletics	25	0	6	0

Second Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Third Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Fourth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Fifth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Sixth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Seventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Eighth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Ninth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Tenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Eleventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
Senators	25	5	12	1
Athletics	25	4	10	0

Dodgers Score Double Triumph Over Phillies

Brooklyn, Hot on Cards' —
Heels, Scores 9-4 and
6-0 Victories

PHILADELPHIA, June 27 (AP) —
The Brooklyn Dodgers, hot on the
heels of the National League lead-
ing St. Louis Cardinals, clubbed
the Philadelphia Phillies into sub-
mission twice today, winning 9-4
and 6-0 before 27,866 in Shibe park.

Big Cliff Melton, hurling one of
his best games this season, held
the Phillies hitless for six and two
thirds innings in the nightcap, then
yielded three futile singles while
coasting in to victory.

A couple of Phillies errors help-
ed the Dodgers score three runs in
the seventh inning of the first
game, breaking a 4-4 deadlock. Ed
Head, who took over in the fourth
as successor to Freddie Fitzsim-
mons and Johnny Allen, got credit
for the victory. The scores:

First Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	9	12	1
Phillies	25	4	10	0

Second Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Third Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Fourth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Fifth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Sixth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Seventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Eighth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Ninth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Tenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Eleventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Twelfth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Thirteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Fourteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Fifteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Sixteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Seventeenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Eighteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Dodgers	25	6	10	0
Phillies	25	0	6	0

Centerville Overwhelms Wellersburg Twice to Clinch Pen-Mar Loop Crown

Reds Win 12-6 and 12-5 to Remain Unbeaten;
Queen City Trips Westvaco 10-8

cap, turned in the fielding gem of
the afternoon, a one-hand catch
of Ken Lowery's hard-hit liner
after a hard run.

Drenning had four singles, Street
three singles and Mickey two blows
in the second game for Centerville
while Wellersburg's Robinette poked
out his third and fourth doubles of
the afternoon and a single.

Brewers End Losing Streak
The Queen City aggregation, which
before yesterday's battle hadn't won a game since defeating
Westvaco in its first test of the loop
campaign, got to Pitcher Elmer
Hoffman for five runs in the first
two innings and then exploded for
three more in the fifth with single-
tons coming in each the sixth and
seventh.

The Tri-Towns aggregation put
on a rousing finish, counting four
runs in the seventh and driving
Mike Walters to cover and then
getting to Bob Baker in the ninth
for two more tallies.

The Bremen collected hits with
Joe Wagner and Stevenson pacing
the assault. Wagner bagged three
doubles and a single in six trips
while Stevenson laced out four
singles in five attempts.

Westvaco's eleven-hit attack was
led by Roy Cave, who had a double
and two singles. The scores:

First Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	6	10	0

Second Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Third Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Fourth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Fifth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Sixth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Seventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Eighth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Ninth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Tenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Eleventh Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Twelfth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Thirteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Fourteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

Fifteenth Game

	AB	R	H	E
Centerville	25	12	12	1
Wellersburg	25	5	10	0

All Robertson Retires after 16 Years as Jockey

Winner of 1,865 Races No
Longer "Feels at Home"
on Horse

NEW YORK, June 27 (AP) — All
Robertson climbed off the horse
and said, "I just don't feel at home
up there any more," and you knew
right then that the Aberdeen Ex-
press was finally heading for the
roundhouse for keeps.

Because, for Robbie not to feel at
home on a horse is like the olive
feeling out of place in the martini
or the cabbage wondering what the
corned beef is doing on the same
platter.

So, when Robbie got to the point
where he didn't sit his mount as
though he was tied on, he knew
better than anyone that it was time
to cash his chips and check out.
And that's what he's done. After six-
teen years during which he became
one of the wealthiest jockeys in the
business and was one of the few
big-timers who never had the boys
and girls looking "question marks"
at him about his riding, Robbie is
retiring as a jockey—still on top.

He went down in a spill at Aque-
duct ten days ago and after getting
patched up he galloped a couple of
horses for his contract employer,
Mrs. Isabel Dodge Sloan, at Bel-
mont last week. It took him
only a few minutes to realize the
old "zing" was gone.

Which marks the end of at least
one chapter of the Scots Family
Robertson, who parlayed "six penny"
and a liking for horses
into a highly successful set of car-
eers on the American turf. Robbie
retires after a stretch during which
he has done his stuff for some of
the most fashionable stables in the
business—the Whitneys, Mrs. Ethel
V. Mars, and Mrs. Sloan.

In his run of booting them home,
he won 1,865 races for more than
\$3,000,000 in total purses. What's
more, he's the only rider ever to
win six races in one day twice in
his life. Robbie hit this jackpot in
such widely separated spots as Ha-
vana, back in 1928, when he'd been
riding just a year, and at Jamaica
in 1941.

Pappa Robbie—Robert Robertson,
St. is the name—has campaigned a
stable of horses around New Eng-
land for several years. Pappa Rob-
bie brought the family over from
Aberdeen early in the century, get-
ting off the boat with just that six-
penny "penny." For some years,
he worked for the Toronto Light
company, then went into the show-
horse end of the gee-gee business
and finally into racing.

Alf saw his first race at Woodbine
before he was 12, fell in love with
the sport, and made up his mind
right then he'd be a jockey. At 17,
he rode his first winner.

Early in his career, a Chinese
fortune teller told him he'd have a
quarter-million dollars before he
was 30. Three years ago, he phoned
Pappa Robbie from his Miami
home.

"Remember what that fortune
teller told me about making a
quarter of a million

Radio Quiz Show Will Have Yust As Guest Tonight

Many Interesting Events Are Scheduled by the Network

NEW YORK, June 27 (AP)—Clifton Fadiman and his Information Please are to be in Chicago for their weekly broadcast on NBC at 10:30 Monday night. The program will be on behalf of the War Bond campaign. The special guest will be Walter Yust, editor of the encyclopedia the program presents to listeners who can produce questions which "stump the experts."

Carole Landis is to co-operate with Warren Hull in conducting Vox Pop on CBS at 8 while Parks Johnson is vacationing. Previous announcement that Hedda Hopper would do the four week Parks is away proved to be in exaggeration in that she appeared on only one program. Instead Hedda will fly east from Hollywood to join in the Guy Lombardo on CBS at 10:30 as it is carried in the East.

Tonight
"THE TELEPHONE HOUR"
Presents
NELSON EDDY
and the
Bell Symphonic Orchestra
9 p. m.
E.W.T. KDKA

Today's VICTORY GARDEN-GRAPH



A Victory Garden for Chickens

By DEAN HALLIDAY

Succulent green feed is relished by chickens of all ages. For young chicks raised in confinement green feed should be cut in short lengths about one-half inch long. Green feed adds variety to the ration of laying hens and stimulates their appetites. Every poultry raiser knows that heavy feed consumption is necessary to obtain big egg production.

The Victory gardener who also has a flock of chickens should plan now to grow enough green food for his chickens to carry them through the fall and winter. The varieties of vegetables for a Victory garden for chickens are shown in the accompanying Garden-Graph. The Victory garden for chickens should include plantings of Swiss chard, cabbages, Scotch kale, beets (and/or) mangel wurtzels and dwarf Essex rape.

Swiss chard and dwarf Essex rape can be cut continually and new growth will come on. If both the chard and rape are protected with some straw when early frosts come, both will continue to yield green feed for the chickens until late in the fall.

The Scotch kale will give greens until late in December, as it is not injured by frost. During the winter the hens will enjoy cabbage, red beets and mangel wurtzels. One large head of cabbage per week for twenty-five hens is not too much. The amount of succulent green feed given to chickens should be limited, however, so as not to interfere with their normal consumption of mash and grain.

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY
The Authority on Authorities

THOROUGH COVERAGE

"DECLARER should make it a practice to play out all hands in which there is any doubt as to the eventual outcome, and should not utilize any information he may derive from the fact that his claim of tricks is disputed." After that admonition, the new Laws of Contract Bridge proceed with the most thorough coverage of his claiming or conceding tricks.

"If declarer intentionally exposes his hand, claims or concedes one or more of the remaining tricks, or otherwise suggests that play be curtailed," says the law, "play should cease, and declarer should place and leave his hand face up on the table and should forthwith make any statement necessary to indicate his intended line of play." If a defender disputes declarer's claim, the law provides:

1. Declarer must play on, leaving his hand face up on the table;
2. Either defender may require declarer to abide by any statement he may have made, and
3. Unless declarer's intention to make a play listed below was announced before or coincident with the facing of his hand, either defender (before a defender thereafter plays) may always require declarer

(a) to follow suit with the highest card, if he attempts to finesse (except that declarer may not be prevented from taking a finesse in a suit in which the defender next to play has, previous to the claim, failed to follow suit); a lower card when the defender next to play

may hold an intermediate winner (a winner is a card of sufficient rank to win a trick);

(b) to ruff, if he attempts to establish a winner by not ruffing;

(c) to ruff low, if he attempts to ruff high to prevent an over-ruff;

(d) to lead another suit, if he attempts to prevent a ruff by drawing a defender's trump, apparently overlooked until his claim was disputed.

It is proper for a defender, even when his side may profit thereby, to face or pick up his hand, but not part of it, at any time after declarer has suggested a curtailment of play. The defenders must allow declarer's claim or concession if both of them accede or abandon their hands.

Tomorrow's Problem

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(Dealer: West. Neither side vulnerable.)

If West leads the club 5, the 3-No Trumps declarer lets East take two tricks and uses the A on the third, and then leads the spade Q, what line of reasoning should tell West whether to cover or not?

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Nelson Eddy makes his first singing appearance in the Don Voores concert on NBC at 9.

Picking out the drama guests: NBC's Cavalcade of America, Maureen O'Sullivan in "Sky Nurse"; CBS's Radio Theater Barbara Stanwyck and Joseph Cotten in "The Great Man's Lady"; CBS 10 Screen Guild Players, Loretta Young and Franchot Tone in "Re-member the Day"; CBS 11:30 Romance, Judith Evelyn in "Camille." Although her night series is now in vacation, Kate Smith is going right ahead with the day-timer on CBS at 12 noon. Her manager, Ted Collins, is also a part of the program.

James Hilton, author, in a commentary on world affairs, is the summer replacement for Ceiling Unlimited on CBS at 7:15.

Some Daytime Events

NBC—9 a. m. Everything Goes; 12:30 p. m. Mirth and Madness; 3:15 p. m. Max Perkins.

CBS—11 a. m. Milt Bacon's God's Country; 3:45 p. m. Green Valley U.S.A.; 5:15 Mother and Dad.

BLUE—10:45 a. m. Gene and Glenn; 12:45 p. m. Victory Gardens; 2:30 p. m. Ladies Be Seated, audience participating with Ed East and Polly; 4 Club Matinee.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



"Hon. Spy steal evidence from U. S. Red Cross knitting circle to prove new U. S. soldier is monster; this sweater have three sleeves!"

LAFF-A-DAY



DAILY CROSSWORD

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2. To dine	2. Not revealed
3. Kind of roll	3. East African coin
4. Piece of rock	
5. Harden	
6. Portions	
7. Place of worship	
8. Large pulpits	
9. A sense	
10. Cripples	
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Funeral Notice

BEAL—Mrs. Mollie, age 71, wife of Lawrence Beal, Eckhart, died Saturday, June 26. The body is at home where friends and relatives will be received and services held Monday at 2 P. M. Rev. John R. Wilson, pastor of the Eckhart Methodist Church officiating. Interment in the Porter Cemetery. Arrangement by the Hafer Funeral Service. 6-27-11-1N

BREMAN—Mrs. James M., died Saturday, June 26. The body is at the home of her nephew, Noah Breman in Moscow, where friends and relatives will be received and services held Tuesday at 2:30 P. M. Rev. Moore of the Barton Methodist Church will officiate. Interment in the Barton Methodist Church. Arrangement by the Breman Funeral Service. 6-28-11-1N

DAVIS—Charles C., age 80, husband of Loretta (Stallings) Davis, died Sunday, June 27 at his home on Uhl Highway. The body is at the home where friends and relatives will be received and services held Tuesday at 2 P. M. Rev. L. R. Reller will officiate. Interment on the family home. Arrangement by Stein Funeral Service. 6-28-11-1N

NICKEL—John George, age 81, husband of the late Laura R. Nickel, died Saturday, June 26. The body is at the home where friends and relatives will be received and services held Tuesday at 2:30 P. M. Rev. N. T. Bowersox will officiate. Interment in St. Luke's Cemetery. Arrangement by Stein's Funeral Service. 6-28-11-1N

WHITTAKER—John B., age 61, husband of Caroline (Ziller) Whittaker, 834 Columbia Ave., died Saturday, June 26. The body is at the home where friends and relatives will be received and services held Tuesday at 2:30 P. M. Rev. David C. Clark will officiate. Interment in the Rose Hill Memorial. Arrangement by Stein's Funeral Service. 6-28-11-1N

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Harris Wrecking Company **TOMATO**, cabbage, cauliflower, pepper, sweet potato, egg and Bermuda onion plants. Yellow tomatoes, onion sets, seed potatoes, fertilizer, berry boxes, fruit and vegetable baskets. Pansy plants 30c dozen. Petunia, stinnia, snap dragon, astor plants, 5c dozen. Rock garden and perennial flower plants. Thrip's Seed Store, 120 Federal St. Phone 1497-M. 6-9-11-T

TEN SIDE, 20 yards border, 90c. Open evenings. Wigfield Wall-paper Shop, 10 Humboldt St. 6-19-31-T

ICERS: gas, kerosene, gasoline, electric ranges and table tops; washers; sewing machines; coil springs; radios; refrigerators; irons; alarms; watches; mowers; sweepers; stoves; clocks; hot plates; and furniture bought and sold. Norman Dee, Phone 4365, 204 Baltimore Ave., across from Y. M. C. A. 6-16-31-T

GLASS WOOL, best for home insulation. Large stock on hand. Cement Products Co. 407 Henderson Ave. Phone 1565. 4-22-11-T

PUPPIES, small type, short hair, black and tan house pets, thoroughbreds. Phone 1497-M. 6-24-11-T

GUERNSEY cow, 3 years old. H. Heber, Flintstone. 6-25-31-T

KITCHEN CABINET, used 8 months, \$25. Call Celanese 619. 6-25-31-T

ZINNIA'S, blue dwarf ageratum, alysium, 15c dozen, two dozen 25c. 222 Union St. 6-25-1W-T

FURNITURE, fixtures, merchandise, exchange. 72 Mechanic. 6-25-31-T

DRY CLEANING Business, machinery and equipment. Write Mrs. George Rudolph, Windber, Pa. 6-26-21-T

RADIOS BOUGHT, sold. Phone 3333-R. 6-25-31-T

BABY BUGGY, new. Phone 4210-W. 6-26-21-T

ANTIQUES of all kinds, 308 Central Ave. 6-26-21-T

DINING ROOM suite. Apply James McFarland, Vale Summit Road. 6-26-31-T

USED PRIMA washer, good condition. Phone 166-J. 6-26-31-T

ONE WOODEN bed, good condition, bargain price. Phone 3253-J. 6-25-21-T

28-A—Florists **FLOWERS, BOPP'S**. Phone 2582. 10-17-11-T

29—Furniture, Stoves **USED FURNITURE**, Millenium's, 317 Virginia. 1-6-11-T

30—Building Supplies **OAK FLOORING** a real improvement, beautiful, practical and permanent. Prices 13c per square foot. Phone 1570. **BUCHANAN LUMBER CO.**

32—Help Wanted—Female **GENERAL HOUSEWORK**, stay nights, 1923-R. 6-22-11-T

WOMAN for housework, one day week, 231 S. Mechanic. 6-24-11-T

BEAUTY OPERATOR, salary \$20, \$25, \$30 weekly. Write Box 406-A. 6-25-1W-N

ELDERLY WOMAN to care for children, evenings. Write Box 406-A. 6-25-1W-N

WAITRESS also maid. Maryland Hotel. 6-25-31-T

WANTED—Lady to make home, care two children, good wages. Phone 3510-W. 4 to 6 p. m. 6-26-21-T

GIRL or woman, five days week. Apply Delbert Tallman, Short Gap, W. Va. 6-26-31-T

32—Help Wanted—Female

WOMAN for restaurant work, 130 Harrison St. 6-26-21-T

WOMAN or girl for housework. Phone 1668-R. 6-26-1W-T

WOMAN for housework and care of two children, \$10 weekly. Phone 2984-J. 6-27-31-T

MIDDLE AGED Housekeeper for man and grown son, live in. Phone 4416, evenings. 6-28-11-T

33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED at **THE ALLEGANY ORDNANCE PLANT** **MEN**

Mechanically inclined to be trained to do machine set up work. Will average \$35 to \$45 per 48 hour week during training period.

Also Service move men, laborers, and general workers.

WRITE OR APPLY TO **United States Employment Office**

Public Safety Bldg., Cumberland

CARRIER boys for morning newspaper routes. Phone 3438, Potomac News Co., 123 Henry St. 6-23-21-T

BOY 14 years or over to carry morning newspaper route Virginia Ave. below subway. Apply Times-News, Circulation Dept. 6-24-11-T

FARMER, swell opportunity, lifetime security. Write and see Box 408-A. 6-25-1W-T

MAN, make concrete blocks, piece work, living quarters at plant. References required. E. D. McLaren, 107 Eighth St., Turtle Creek, Pa. Persons employed in war industries not considered. 6-27-21-T

AUTOMOBILE PAINTER and body repair man, good working conditions. Opportunity to share in profits. Box 409-A. 6-25-1W-T

STRONG boys over 16 for green-house work. Apply Greenhouses, Woodlawn, LaVale. 6-27-11-T

34—Salesmen Wanted **WANTED**—Salesman, truck driver, about 45 years, give references. Box 403-A. 6-25-31-T

37—Musical Instruments **WE BUY** Used Records and Musical Instruments **MUSIC SHOP, Inc.** 5 South Liberty Phone 3238

MUSIC EXCHANGE, 66 Mechanic Phone 123. 6-25-31-T

38—Lost and Found **LOST**—"A" gas ration book, Frances Hughes Keller, Grantsville. 6-22-1W-N

LOST—A and B gas ration books, Alston Robinette, B St., Long, Md. 6-25-31-T

LOST—1 and 2 Ration Books, Benjamin Dorsey, Mt. Savage. 6-26-21-T

LOST—Ration Book 1, H. G. Boller, 123 S. Centre. 6-26-21-T

LOST—Two No. 1 ration books, John and Anna Lee Maritz. 6-26-21-T

LOST—Ration Book 2, Harry Kertman, 1023 Shades Lane. 6-27-21-T

LOST—Ration Books 1 and 2, H. R. Merritt, 401 Arch St. 6-27-21-T

LOST—Tan Wallet containing valuable papers. Return 402 York Place, Foster Shipley. 6-27-11-T

LOST—Small black notebook containing Civilian Defense information. Phone 3330-W. 6-27-31-T

Five 1 and 2 ration books. E. Monogold, 526 Broadway Circle. 6-28-21-N

FOUND—Large police dog. Phone 2593-M. 6-28-11-T

39—Miscellaneous **BLOCK LAYING**, cement work. W. A. McKinney, 148 Bedford St. Phone 3013-W. 1-28-11-T

NOTICE **FREE** grain sloop—to all farmers. Government experiment prove it is good for cattle, hogs, chickens. Hours, 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. Phone Berlin 2193. 6-22-1W-T

41—Moving, Storage **JOHN APPEL TRANSFER**, Local and Long Distance Moving. Phone 1623. 1-3-11-T

MOVING TO and from Baltimore. Phone 388. 6-16-11-T

42—Painting, Paperhanging **PAPERHANGING**, Joe Barnhill. Phone 2699-M. 4-17-11-T

INSIDE and outside painting, floor sanding and refinishing. Free estimates. Phone 4471-J. 5-26-11-T

44—Piano Tuning

LEO C. REICHERT—Phone 3254. 6-18-11-T

46—Radios, Service

MORELAND RADIO SERVICE, Phone 4446, 1200 E. Oldtown Road. 6-11-311-T

47—Real Estate For Sale

MODERN T-room house, 1 extra lot, \$3000 cash, 319 City View Terrace. 6-22-311-T

HOUSE, 120 W. Second. Phone 1451-M. 6-26-21-T

47-A—Remodeling

DARRELL LANTZ REMODELING CONTRACTOR New Additions, Inexpensive Siding, Modern Cupboards, Roofing, Floors. Phone 103-W.

51—Wanted to Buy

WANTED—Furniture and appliances of all description, will pay cash and pay off your balance if you owe on same. Cumberland Loan Co., 42 N. Mechanic. Phone 607-M. 5-20-11-T

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Appliances. Cash price paid. Home Furnishing Corporation, 128 Bedford St. Phone 2759-M. 5-21-11-T

WANTED—Late model automobile, also stake body truck, will pay top price. Phone 607-M. 6-6-11-T

WANTED—Household Furniture and appliances, all descriptions. Price's Furniture Exchange, 79 N. Centre St. Phone 2732-W. 11-26-11-T

SCRAP IRON, metals, junk cars. We sell parts for all autos. Miller's Junk Yard, 101 Potomac. Phone 4228-R. 5-29-311-T

DO YOU HAVE a family treadle sewing machine for sale? We buy all makes. Phone Cumberland 384. 6-15-11-T

HAVE CASH buyers for single or double dwellings. Lazarus, 28 N. Liberty. 6-19-311-T

WANTED

Scrap Iron, Metals **HIGHEST PRICES** **Beerman Auto Wreckers** 153 Winnow St. Phone 2270

RABBITS, all kinds. Shober's Restaurant, Phone 925. 5-28-311-T

USED BICYCLES, tricycles, all types wheel goods regardless condition. Cosgrove Cycle Co. 6-16-311-T

WANTED—Venetian blind 5 1/2 ft. wide. Phone 347. 6-26-21-T

Moose Conclave Elects Schultz New President

Edward Habeeb, of Cumberland, Is Named Vice President

Jacob Schultz, of Hagerstown, was elected president of the Maryland and Border States Moose Association at the final meeting yesterday afternoon. He will succeed Albert M. Smith, of Frederick. Edward Habeeb, local florist, was elected vice president.

Milton V. Hanson, of Columbia Lodge, Washington, D. C., was re-elected secretary of the association and other officers chosen to retain their posts were Samuel E. Wade, Virginia Lodge of Alexandria, Va., treasurer, and Glenn Jenkins, of Brunswick, association prelate.

Supervisors Named
The following district supervisors were appointed to serve for the ensuing year: district 1, Edward Parry, Frostburg; district 2, Roy R. Gosnell, Frederick; district 3, Sam Danatalla, Baltimore; district 4, Leslie E. Hagan, Washington, D. C.; and district 5, Roy A. Thomas, Wilmington, Del.

The association voted to hold its eleventh annual conclave in Wilmington, Del., next year, with its "baby" lodge of that city acting as host. The Wilmington lodge is the newest one in the Border States association.

Among the resolutions adopted at the final business session yesterday was one conferring the honor of past state president on John C. Meikle, of Washington, D. C. Meikle is Past Grand Master of the Legion of the Moose, secretary of the board of Mooseheart governors and secretary of the Moose Foundation Board.

The association also adopted resolutions presented by the Frostburg lodge advocating full publicity of all actions taken by selective service boards. The resolutions were similar to those adopted by the local Joint Draft deferment committee last week.

Supreme Governor Speaks
Resolutions extending appreciation to Mayor Thomas P. Conlon and the city council for the courtesies extended to convention delegates during the conclave were also adopted.

About 600 persons attended the closing banquet last night at the Supreme Governor Frank J. LaBell was the principal speaker. LaBell's address was built around the idea of fraternalism in international affairs. He attributed the situation in Europe to a collapse and tearing down of the fraternal institutions.

On behalf of Cumberland Lodge No. 271, officers of the local lodge presented a watch and Fellowship pin to Governor Frank J. Davis in recognition of his services in the past years.

With a total registration of more than 400, the tenth annual conclave was described by visiting delegates as one of the most successful ever held, and the local lodge received much praise for its progress in the past years.

Two Baltimore Street Buildings To Change Hands

Largest Realty Transaction Here in Years Involves \$99,000

Involving a total of at least \$99,000, one of the largest realty transactions here in recent years was reported Saturday. Two Baltimore street buildings, both formerly owned by the Gross brothers, are scheduled to change hands for the above total.

The building at 42-46 Baltimore street, occupied by the Maurice department store, will be purchased by the Wolf Furniture Company, 38 North Mechanic street, while a smaller building at 181-183 Baltimore street, will be bought by the E. V. Coyle Furniture Company, 45 Baltimore street.

Ratification of the sale is scheduled July 5 in circuit court and the negotiations are now in the hands of the court auditor. The equity transaction was filed by the Second National bank, as administrator of the estate of Mary Bachrach, against Morgan C. Harris and Leola Gross, executors of the estate of Solomon Gross and others. William A. Gunter is attorney for the bank.

It was also reported yesterday that the Gibbs property in LaVale, including the large greenhouses, has been purchased for \$18,000 by Roy C. Lottig, manager of the Cumberland Coca-Cola Company. The property was owned by the late Bradford L. Gibbs.

Cumberland Lodge, No. 271, Local Order of Moose, has purchased the Young property, across Aviret avenue, including the old family residence built ninety years ago, for an undisclosed amount. The lot is 101 by 90 by 90 feet and is bounded by Smallwood street, Aviret avenue and Beall street. Lodge officials said no immediate plans have been made regarding the tract, which includes vacant ground except for the Young home.

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Late Information About Rationing

(By The Associated Press)
Meats, cheese, etc. — Book 2 red stamps J, K, L, M, and N expire June 30; P valid today until end of July; Q becomes valid July 4.

Processed fruits and vegetables — Book 2 blue stamps K, L and M valid through July 7; N, P and Q become valid July 1 and may be used through August 7.

Shoes — Book 1 stamp 18 good through October 31.

Sugar — Book 1 stamp 13 good for five pounds through August 15; stamps 15 and 16 good for five pounds each for home canning.

Coffee — Book 1 stamp 24 for one pound expires June 30; stamp 21 becomes valid July 1 and will expire July 21; stamp 22 valid July 22 to August 11.

Gasoline — No. 5 "A" coupons good for three gallons through July 21 in East; elsewhere, No. 4 "A" coupons good for four gallons through July 21. Outside of East, renewal of A books to be made on application blanks available at filling stations now or in the near future, which must be filled out and mailed to ration boards. New books will be issued for use starting July 22. Same procedure for motor-cycles.

Stoves — Rationing of cooking and heating stoves, forecast unofficially for sometime this month, has been postponed while forms and regulations are being prepared. May come sometime in August.

J. B. Whittaker Dies in Hospital Following Illness

Former C. and P. Railroad Train Dispatcher Was Native of England

John Broadbent Whittaker, 61, of 834 Columbia avenue, died yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock in Allegheny hospital.

At the time of his death, Mr. Whittaker was an employee of the Chesapeake and Potomac Railway Company. At one time he was manager of the Postal Telegraph Company office here and later was telegraph operator and train dispatcher for the C and P railroad.

For the past fifteen years he represented the Fire Prevention Service Company in this section and was manager of the Fire Prevention Service Company. Much of his time was devoted to servicing fire prevention equipment in county buildings here.

Mr. Whittaker was an auxiliary fireman at the time of his death. During the first World War he was employed by the State, War and Navy departments in Washington.

A native of Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, England, he was a son of the late John and Hannah Broadbent Whittaker. The family came to this country when he was a young boy.

In his teens he was well known as a boy soprano and sang in various parts of the country where his father was organist and choir master.

In later years he was associated with his father in the Cumberland Conservatory of Music and the Cumberland Choral Union. He was also well known as a soloist in amateur theatrical productions, including some of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas. Until his health failed, he was a member of the Emmanuel Episcopal church choir.

Mr. Whittaker was a past master of the Order of the Eastern Star, No. 131, A. F. and A. M.; the Fraternal Order of Eagles and of the Duke Memorial Bible class.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Caroline Giesler Whittaker, and one sister, Mrs. Mae Somers, Cedar Grove.

The body will remain at Stein's chapel.

JOHN GEORGE NICKEL
John George Nickel, 81, retired mail carrier, died Saturday evening at his home, 227 West Oldtown road, following a brief illness.

A native of Germany, he was a son of the late Adam and Barbara Snyder Nickel who operated a bakery on North Centre street for many years.

837 Persons Swim In Constitution Park Pool

The "ol' swimmin'" hole in Constitution park was able to relax yesterday as it spread its waters to what is normally considered an average capacity crowd. Pool attendants reported 837 paid admissions and thirty-eight free admissions to service men as the toll for yesterday's session.

Despite the fact that local aqua-bobs and belles were denied use of the pool for several days, the return to the waves yesterday registered at the half-way mark of last Sunday's mark of 1,678.

Concerning probable closing because of water shortages in the reservoirs should the present heat wave continue, Mayor Thomas P. Conlon said last night that it is expected that the pool will remain open for at least ten days.

Mayor Conlon also reminds service men and women that their uniforms if their admission to the pool, and they are welcomed as guests of the city.

Four Local Men Are Honored by Moose Conclave

Are among Twenty-four Persons Receiving the Fellowship Degree

In recognition of their past service, four members of Cumberland Lodge No. 271, Local Order of Moose, were among the twenty-four upon whom the Fellowship degree, the third degree of the order, was conferred yesterday afternoon as part of the ritualistic program of the Maryland and Border States conclave.

Cumberland Moose who received the degree are Frank J. Davis, governor of the local lodge; William J. Hovemarle, Charles E. Pettie and Ernest B. Treat.

Recommendations for the Fellowship degree are made by members of the Fellowship degree and are approved by the Pledge board, representatives of the fourth and highest degree of the order.

Among the other recipients of the honor were eight from Baltimore, seven from Hagerstown, three from Washington, D. C., two from Sparrows Point-Dundalk, one from Frederick and one from Frostburg. The Frostburg member was Chester Wilson.

With the ritual conducted by the Cumberland degree team, winners in the conclave ritualistic contest Saturday, the local lodge initiated seventy-nine candidates as the conclave class yesterday afternoon. This is the largest class in the history of the Cumberland lodge.

Headed by Charles E. Pettie, prelate of Lodge No. 271, the degree team was composed of Joseph L. Wolfe, Harry Wolfe, Harry Lannon, Weibey E. Brunk and James Brode. They initiated the following candidates:

Owen Kavanaugh, Walter S. Holtzman, Eldred W. Fletcher, Joseph C. Strickley, William E. Clauson, Thomas R. Trece, Thomas M. Dunlap, Ralph Dilligatti, John R. Sapp, Robert E. Carter, Charles A. Jenkins, Edmund E. Smith, William T. Dillon, William R. Zembower, G. Harrison Allison, Carl G. Valentine, Paul C. Brotemarkie and Floyd D. Ackerman.

Thomas S. Perrie, Edgar A. Lease, George S. Wanner, T. B. Koramo, E. W. Taylor, L. I. Jackson, Carl J. Miller, Paul Gallen, Jacob Walker, Richard B. Scott, Charles R. Rinker, William Carl Zais, H. C. Garner, John L. Farrin, Thomas C. Meister, Emmil Lehmann, Walter Scott, G. E. Hartman, M. Bernard Corrigan, Raymond Valentine, Robert S. Kincaid, Warren H. O'Neal, James Maley, George Franklin Malin and Lester Mullenax.

John Wilson, Alexander P. Kolling, Michael Warner, Claude D. Brown, Francis M. Hamilton, Emory Earnest Morrison, Charles W. O'Donnell, James Shannan, C. C. Moore, Clyde Rudy Sullivan, Daniel B. Hill, C. E. Cooke, Richard E. Thompson, James A. Gardner, John L. Beier, Alvin J. Paul, Frank A. Trozzo and Upton Stokes.

Paul S. Sullivan, Vincenzo Schripa, Leroy E. Boyer, Louis W. Dickert, William L. Carroll, Robert S. Willson, Joseph E. Leacy, Clay L. Smith, Charles E. Stutzman, Melvin Bible, Allen Knippenberg, Claude Boyer, Samuel Deluca, Frank Molinari, Allen Slaggers, Charles B. Jones, Charles E. Herland and Ralph Wilkinson.

Court Finds Loar Guilty of Contempt
James H. Loar, charged with failure to comply with a court order to pay alimony, was found guilty of contempt of court by Associate Judge William A. Huxter, Saturday in circuit court and ordered to pay his former wife, Edith Hovemarle Loar, \$25. Mrs. Loar, who obtained her divorce last month, was represented by William E. McHugh. The alimony was reduced from \$60 to \$40 a month.

A petition for a writ of habeas corpus to obtain the release of Carl Brumback was filed by Morris Baron. The negro youth, who is held in the county jail, will have a hearing at 10 o'clock this morning. Following an attack on the son of a local physician the youth was sentenced in juvenile court to the Cheltenham Industrial school. Police said the victim's skull was fractured.

Fire Damages Auto
South Cumberland firemen were called to the Oldtown road yesterday afternoon at 1:12 o'clock by a fire in the automobile of Violet Fogel, 120 Oldtown road. Firemen said the blaze, which damaged only the distributor wires, was out when they arrived.

Several Persons Are Treated for Minor Injuries

Three Are Slightly Hurt When Automobile Strikes a Pole

Three persons were treated in Memorial hospital Saturday evening for slight injuries as a result of an automobile accident on Virginia avenue.

Thomas Holbert, 46, Route 2, Keyser, told attaches his car struck a light pole shortly before 10:30 p. m. He was treated for a lacerated nose.

His son, James, 8, riding with him, suffered a bruise over the left eye, and his daughter, Shirley Ann, 2, was treated for a slight laceration of the forehead, attaches said.

William P. Harney, 49, 211 Race street, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad boilermaker, was treated in Allegheny hospital dispensary Saturday evening at 7:50 for a slight laceration of the head.

He told attendants a piece of casing he was loosening slipped and struck him on the top of the head. Charles Koelker, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Koelker, 210 Charles street, was treated in Allegheny hospital dispensary Saturday at 6:45 p. m. for an injury to the right foot. Attendants were told he stepped on a rusty nail.

Clarence A. Jewell, 28, 64 Marion street, was treated in Allegheny hospital Saturday evening at 10:30 o'clock for a cut on the right thumb. Attends were told the injury was caused by a soft drink bottle.

William H. Fleischhaver, 37, 417 Columbia avenue, was treated in Allegheny dispensary for an injury of the right upper arm, Saturday at 10:15 p. m. Attendants said the bleeding, from a puncture wound, was profuse.

Linda Nazeland, Allegheny Grove, was admitted to Allegheny hospital yesterday morning at 7:30 suffering from burns of the right hand and foot. Attendants said the injury was caused by scalding water at her home.

Roy Mervine, an employee of Porter's restaurant, was treated in Allegheny hospital dispensary yesterday at 2:30 p. m. for an injured right thumb. He told attendants he cut his thumb with a meat saw several days ago.

FBI IS SEEKING SUSPECT IN AUTO THEFT SYNDICATE

Director J. Edgar Hoover, of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, announced in Washington Saturday that FBI agents are searching the country for Ralph Livingston Baldwin, 43, in connection with an automobile theft ring which Hoover said stole cars in several states.

Already four alleged members of the ring have been arrested on charges of violating the National Motor Vehicle Theft act. Hoover said, adding that one man, Enoch W. Wilson, had committed suicide shortly after FBI agents searched his farm near Goldsboro, N. C.

The work of State Trooper M. Frank Beamer, of the LaVale barracks was directly responsible for uncovering the ring. Beamer began an investigation after two men abandoned an automobile after it crashed against a pole in the Narrows last Nov. 14.

A checkup revealed that the car had been stolen in Columbus, O., and the federal agents picked up a number of clues that revealed the theft ring was operating in many states.

Applications received thus far, Mr. Kopp explained, indicate that there were fewer eligible to participate in the program than had been anticipated and it will be necessary to obtain more. The classes must be built up to a size to warrant opening and justify the expense of maintenance.

A checkup is to be made and opening dates will be announced later, he added.

Designed to care for the children of working mothers, each center will have a staff consisting of a head teacher and two assistants, a cook and nursing service. Mothers will be required to pay \$2 a week to have their children cared for and a similar contribution will be made by the federal government.

An original survey conducted to determine the number interested in the project brought a return of 206, but actual applications have fallen far below that number.

Miss Nancy Robb Is Now Taking WAAC Training
The photograph shows Miss Robb adjusting the volume control on a radio set. She is one of the first class of WAACs in the Second Service Command's Signal Training School. When she completes this course, she will undergo four weeks of basic training prior to entering the army's signal corps.

A graduate of Allegheny high school in 1938, Miss Robb attended Skidmore college, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., where she received her bachelor of science degree in 1942. She majored in physical education and biology and rated first in comprehensive examinations given to her senior year.

After her graduation, Miss Robb taught as a substitute teacher in the department of physiology at the college from which she had received her degree.

Two Loving Cups Are Presented To VFW Post

Henry Hart Post Has Largest Membership in State of Maryland

Two loving cups were presented Henry Hart Post No. 1411 Saturday night at a joint meeting of the post and the VFW Auxiliary by the newly elected Department Commander George H. Titter, of Baltimore.

One of the cups, which now becomes the permanent possession of Henry Hart Post, was presented for gaining the most members and having the largest membership for the year 1942-43 of any post in the state. The other cup was given by Gov. O'Connor for gaining the most members and having the largest membership in the state.

The local post had a membership of 261 for the year 1942-43 and obtained seventy-nine new members. In addition to Commander Titter, Junior Vice-commander Frank J. Weipert, of Baltimore, was also an honor guest at the joint meeting and dance which followed.

Officers of the auxiliary occupied some of the chairs during the meeting. The state department officers were escorted to the lodge room by the officer-of-the-day Thomas K. Whalley.

Titters and Weipert presented to the post and auxiliary a hand-made service flag three feet by six feet. There is a large blue star in the center of the flag with a golden eagle under the star. The flag was presented on behalf of the state department officers in recognition of the good work the post and auxiliary did last year.

Following the meeting refreshments were served followed by dancing until midnight. The meeting was held at the VFW home and was attended by more than 100 persons.

Service Honor Roll Is Unveiled At Vale Summit

Mayor Thomas P. Conlon was the principal speaker at the unveiling and dedication of a service honor roll in Vale Summit by the citizens of Vale Summit, Hoffman and Loarstown.

The honor roll, which was the subject of a dispute settled recently in circuit court here, was unveiled by Seaman Riley, of Vale Summit. Jonathan Sleeman, member of the Maryland House of Delegates, also spoke. Father Kilkenny, of Midland, gave the invocation and benediction.

Music for the dedication ceremony was provided by the Frostburg Arion band under the direction of H. Hillary Lancaster, while military rites were performed by the Maryland Minute Men of Eckhart, in command of Capt. Eugene Cloze.

DeSales Maher was master of ceremonies. About 400 citizens of the three towns attended.

Watkins Will Speak To Rotarians

Joseph Watkins, a native of Cumberland, who spent two years with a construction firm in Iraq and Iran, will be the speaker at the Rotary club meeting Tuesday in Central Y.M.C.A. at 12:15. He will give an eye-witness account of happenings in those countries and express his views of the conditions existing there.

Miss Nancy Robb Is Now Taking WAAC Training

Miss Nancy Jane Robb, daughter of Mrs. Blanche S. Robb, the Dingle, and the late Judge David A. Robb, was recently pictured in the New York Sun as a WAAC trainee.

Learning code and radio mechanics at Paul Smith's college, located on Upper St. Regis lake, forty miles below the Quebec border.

The photograph shows Miss Robb adjusting the volume control on a radio set. She is one of the first class of WAACs in the Second Service Command's Signal Training School. When she completes this course, she will undergo four weeks of basic training prior to entering the army's signal corps.

A graduate of Allegheny high school in 1938, Miss Robb attended Skidmore college, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., where she received her bachelor of science degree in 1942. She majored in physical education and biology and rated first in comprehensive examinations given to her senior year.

After her graduation, Miss Robb taught as a substitute teacher in the department of physiology at the college from which she had received her degree.

When first enrolled in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, the class, in which Miss Robb was a member, was placed on inactive duty status. For the first three months the students reviewed mathematics and study radio, electronics, shop and code. Later they are assigned to continue either in code or mechanics.

Accompanying photographs illustrated the leisure time activities available to WAAC trainees at the college. Among them were tennis, golf, swimming, fishing and canoeing.

County Men Will Take Training Course at Meade

Maryland Militia Reserve officers will begin a period of intensive training at Fort George G. Meade today. They will take a course at the Third Service Command Training Center where they will be instructed in field maneuvers and rifle range work.

Two Allegany counties, Capt. Thomas Lohr Richards, commanding officer of Company 841, Cumberland and Capt. Arthur P. Hoffa, in command of Company 850 at Barton left yesterday for Meade to take the course which will last through July 3.

Under a plan worked out by the military department of the state of Maryland, details of militia reserve officers will be sent to Fort Meade for training during the summer months until the school closes the last of November. At the present time three officers from the eighth battalion, of which the Allegany county companies are a part, will be permitted to go to the training center each week.

Motorists Lose Gas Coupons at OPA Hearing

Several Persons Charged with Violating Pleasure Driving Ban

Several motorists of the Georges Creek area accused of violating the ban on pleasure driving, appeared Saturday in Frostburg for hearings before William M. Somerville, of Cumberland, special OPA attorney.

Three of the nine persons who had been summoned failed to appear. Karl W. Radcliffe, chief clerk of the War Price and Ration Board No. 1, Cumberland, who assisted Somerville said those who did not appear will be notified to surrender their ration books or to ask for a hearing and show cause why such action should not be taken by the OPA.

Two Drivers Fined

The heaviest penalty imposed was the removal of four coupons from the "A" books of two violators. The coupons were taken from the 6-A series which cannot be used until after July 21 and the auto owners will thus have their driving cut in half, since there are only eight such coupons in the books. The two persons "fined" four coupons were: Raymond B. Duckworth, of Frostburg, whose car was reported seen May 22 in front of Melody Manor, a roadside on the Mt. Savage Road.

Frank Scinta, of Lonaconing, whose car was reported in front of a Westernport beer parlor. He explained that his son, a soldier, was using the car that night.

Joseph E. Shuck, of Frostburg, Route 1, was fined one coupon. The car was seen in front of the Davis Tavern, Barton, and Shuck said his son was in Barton on business.

Sailor Used Auto

Cecelia M. Sibert, also of Frostburg, Route 1, was acquitted when she explained that her brother, a sailor, who was home on his first furlough in two years, used her car to attend a dance at Melody Manor.

Soi Robson, of Frostburg, denied that he was driving his car on the Annapolis Boulevard, as charged by state police, and the matter was referred back to the trooper who reported the license number.

Three Fail To Appear

The three who failed to appear were listed by the OPA as G. S. and Lettie Green, of Lonaconing, whose car was seen in front of the Davis Tavern, Barton, on May 22, according to state police.

Nelson Holsinger, of Frostburg, accused of driving his car May 23 on the Havre de Grace bridge. Mildred J. Flanagan, of Lonaconing, whose car was reported by police as being parked June 6 on Howard street, Baltimore.

A hearing for drivers of the West-ernport section, accused of violating the OPA ban, will be held Saturday in that town.

DATES FOR CLINICS ARE MADE PUBLIC

Schedules for child hygiene, prenatal and chest clinics will be announced by the city and county health department. It is necessary to have an appointment for the chest clinic which will be held at city hall, July 22 with Dr. I. B. Lyon, state sanitarium, in charge.

The pre-natal clinics will be held July 7 at city hall at 10 a. m.; July 16, in Lonaconing, at 2 p. m.; July 21, city hall, at 10 a. m.; July 22, in Westernport, at 1:30 p. m.; and July 27 in Cresaptown at 2 p. m. Dr. W. B. Barrow, Dr. Winter R. Frantz and Dr. Lewis Brings will conduct the clinics.

Child hygiene clinics will be held July 1 at city hall for negroes; July 2 at Mt. Savage; July 6 at Humboldt street school; July 7 at city hall; July 8 at Lonaconing; July 13 at city hall; July 15 at East Side school; July 16 at Bowman's addition; July 20 at Penn avenue school; July 22 at Westernport at 1:30 p. m.; July 27 at Cresaptown; and July 28 at Zihlman. The clinics will all be held at 2 p. m. except the one at Westernport.

Gateway Charter

Times of international crises and periods of political factionalism always produce their exponents of absolutism in various forms. Chatter turns to the classified section in a recent edition of the local papers for a choice example of what might be termed "optimistic absolutism."

Said ad graced a spot in the "for sale—miscellaneous" column and the "miscellaneous" turned out to be cocker spaniel puppies. As an inducement to buy, the Zellenople, Pa., advertiser decided to prey upon the human weakness of wanting "what isn't to be had . . . and blithely announced . . . 'last litter for the duration.' Says chatter . . . 'I have me doos.'"

Judging from a recent communique from one of the many "temporary Washingtonians," the old war cry of "Send someone to Washington to get my share" has been slightly adapted to "I'll go myself." The correspondent mentioned above was bemoaning the "nothing to do" situation existing in so many government offices and called particular attention to th one in which he was employed.

He described the office personnel as consisting of three supervisors, with salaries ranging from \$4,800 to \$5,600 per annum, four stenographers, two typists and twelve clerks and assistants, whose annual stipends fell within the \$1,600 to \$3,800 area.

Most of the time is spent in trying to look occupied, the "worker" wrote . . . actually, he continued, one man and one stenographer could handle everything. Now he is waiting an opportunity to leave the capitol and find some good hard toll in which to regain his self-respect. Chatter would suggest a few more bureaus . . . perhaps one for the knitting of little sweaters for cold lobsters on ice. . . .

For a bit of the old days or a reenactment of the old tournaments . . . or perhaps to see if the youngsters have learned any more tricks in knocking down . . . anyway, one of the most delightful sights caught by a News reporter at the recent Boy Scout camporee at Constitution park was that of former Mayor Thomas W. Koon shooting a pretty good game . . . of marbles . . . with some of the boys.

What with "stamps" the by-word of American living, it was no surprise to post office attaches the other day when a woman sought to purchase a stamp to place in the spot designated on ration books by "place stamp here." Chatter submits the present era as consideration as the "philatelist's paradise."

Speaking of stamps ultimately makes one think of food . . . thinking of food, the natural turn of mind is to what "isn't" . . . but just in passing, Chatter passes on this bit from a member of the Maryland State Committee of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency.

"The difference in the food situation in the United States from that in Germany can be told in garbage pails," he said. "Garbage pails disappeared in Germany several years ago—here in the United States the War Production Board has just authorized the use of critical material to increase their production."

He further pointed out that in a normal year the American people throw into their garbage pails food worth four times the cost of the lend-lease food the United States sent to its allies last year.

SEVERAL HOUSES HERE ARE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Of all the stories of freak lightning probably the one at 2:30 Saturday on Fayette street is the most unusual. A bolt hit about ten feet from the top of a walnut tree in the back of 517 Fayette street where E. A. Reith resides. Instead of grounding with the tree the lightning ran over a radio aerial to the cornice of the house which it splintered, then to the chimney, where it struck with such force that it shook the stovepipe loose in the kitchen letting the soot fall into the room.

The lightning then jumped to the rainspout where it was grounded on the northwest side of the house with such force that the rug in the living room with all the furniture in it was turned completely around.

On the other side of the house, at 519 Fayette, which is occupied by Mrs. Anna Hartung, all the fuses were blown out and one of three flower pots on the windowsill was knocked to the floor and broken, the other two remained on the sill.

No one was even stunned by the lightning. Saturday afternoon at 1:15 p. m., lightning struck the home of Robert Wheeler, 817 Montreal avenue in the Mapleside section damaging the chimney and roof but did not start a fire. Several other houses in the same section of town were struck by lightning but were not damaged.

T. V. Fier Accepts Job in Cleveland

T. Victor Fier, 528 Louisiana avenue, has accepted a position as auditor with the Fisher Aircraft Corporation, Cleveland, and will leave this week to begin work.

Fier was recently honorably discharged from the army after serving in North Africa.

Civil Air Patrol Holds 14 Offices In Squadron 331

Inspection and Review Will Be Held Every Three Months, Capt. Lyem Says

Fourteen offices are held by Cumberland Civil Air Patrol members in Western Maryland Squadron 331 according to a recently received appointments in Hagerstown, Taneytown, Westminster and Frederick.

Capt. Arthur Lyem retains the position of squadron commander. Other Cumberland officers are:

Executive officer, L. G. Trimmer, first lieutenant; personnel adjutant, T. E. Carlson, first lieutenant; training and operations officer, G. W. Brenaman, first lieutenant; communications officer, A. V. Tidmore, first lieutenant; engineering officer, V. A. Parker, first lieutenant.

Intelligence and public relations officer, J. D. Lie